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WEEK-DAY PULPIT

of the
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Where a man stands is of little importance compared with the questions what way does he face? And in what direction does he move? Right and wrong, good and evil, in human life, are mainly matters of direction and movement. A cardinal purpose of religion is to help men to face the right way, to move in the right direction,—toward God.

Questions and correspondence invited.
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Rev. Samuel C. Bushnell Resigns

The Pastorate of

Arlington Orthodox Congregational Church

The announcement in last week's paper that on Sunday there would be a special service at Arlington Orthodox Congregational church, with a double quartet and a cello soloist, drew a large audience, in spite of the below zero weather. It was the thirtieth anniversary of Mr. Bushnell's installation as pastor of the church and in congratulation his associates in the Yale Club sent thirty pink rose buds and the Sunday school, thirty pink begonias. The former gift was in a large vase on the table at the right of the desk; the latter in an artistic basket on the communion table.

The double quartet sang two anthems with fine interpretation, the duet for sopranos was a gem, while the artistic rendering of the cello numbers by Louis Dalbeck brought that hush which is the highest compliment an artist can receive.

The service followed conventional lines and the text of Mr. Bushnell was from the Psalm selected for the morning lesson. We print the sermon in full on page two, not only because of what followed, but for the larger reason we consider it one of the finest outlines of the mission of a church in a community that has come to our notice.

With a slight pause at the end of his discourse, Mr. Bushnell proceeded to read his formal resignation of his pastorate, which we also print in connection with the sermon on page two. There were blank faces and tear-stained cheeks in the audience, for whatever hint had gone out as to what Mr. Bushnell's intentions were had reached few people and the announcement came as a shock to most.

The statement that a house had been purchased in New Haven, Conn., for the future home of the family, indicates this action to be a finality; that with the coming of the vacation period, if not before, Arlington will cease to be the home of the Bushnell family.

This announcement will be read with universal regret, for Mr. Bushnell is much more than the minister of a church and congregation. As a trustee of the Robbins Library, in the social life of the town, in its club activities, as a helpful worker for civic betterment, generous contributor to every deserving cause, his genial personality and keen business ability have helped to solve many a difficult problem and been ever an inspiration and a help. Because of all this he will be greatly missed.

But there is one thing more that should be said when speaking of Mr. Bushnell's life in Arlington. He has gone the Good Samaritan one better. Not alone has he been good to the one in his path. He has sought out families needing aid (we newspaper men know many things we do not print) and ministered to them. It is safe to say that he has officiated in more homes not directly connected with any church, mourning lost ones, than all the other pastors of the town combined. He also has a place in the affection of the G. A. R. comrades that is to say the least unique. It is for these reasons, as well as many more that might be named, that generally the people of Arlington join with this church in regret that the passing years have brought that parting of the ways which will mean that in the near future a striking personality, a big hearted man, will no longer be a familiar figure in Arlington. But in this case it will never be, "out of sight,—out of mind."

WALTER DEAN SAWYER.

After five months of intense suffering, Walter Dean Sawyer passed out of this life into the great unknown on Monday at his home 103 Bartlett avenue, Arlington. He was a native of Cambridge and son of the late Jabez A. Sawyer, a lawyer of that city, and Sarah Worcester. In young manhood he was a member of Arlington Boat Club and his interest in that organization brought him in touch with Arlington, so it was not strange that he chose this town as his place of residence. He built the house where he passed away, some twenty-three years ago, and brought his bride here, (Anna Carson), who only lived the year succeeding.

Thirteen years later he married Lucie A. Learned of Arlington who with a young son (Geoffrey A.) survive him.

Mr. Sawyer was for many years associated with the Massachusetts Mohair Plush Co., and the firm of Cush-

ing & Bliss, being selling agent for the former concern. In Arlington he had been chairman of the Committee of Twenty-one, resigning that office three months ago, on account of illness. He was a trustee of the Arlington Savings Bank, a member of the Lexington Golf Club and of the Boston City Club. He was a young man of sterling character, a good citizen and a loyal friend.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the late home of the deceased and was private. The devotional services were conducted by Rev. Charles H. Watson, D. D., of Belmont, former minister of the First Baptist church of Arlington. The interment was in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Besides the wife and son referred to, the deceased is survived by two brothers, George A. Sawyer, a Boston lawyer, John H. Sawyer of Arlington, and two sisters, Miss Caroline A. Sawyer, a teacher in the Cambridge schools, and Miss Lillian W. Sawyer.

MILITARY BALL.

The Town Hall will present a very pretty sight February 12th, at nine o'clock when the grand march opening the Military Ball of Arlington Post No. 39, starts. It is estimated that over 300 men in uniform will be in line.

There will be a concert from 8 to 9 o'clock for which a very fine bill has been arranged including many military affairs. The music will be rendered by Poole's full orchestra with Poole himself.

There will be many prominent guests from the Military and Naval forces and it is rumored that June Caprice, Arlington's own famous movie actress, will lead the grand march with Commander Colbert, Miss Caprice was reached at the Stratler Hotel, New York, by long distance on Monday night and tentatively gave her consent to attend. A telegram is hourly expected stating definitely at what time she will reach Arlington. As this is her home town, it is with great pleasure she contemplates being present.

The Ball Committee is composed of the Arlington Post Entertainment Committee, as follows:—Frank T. Bennett, Chairman, Fred Gay, Walter J. Holt, Hayden N. Hollister, Nathan M. Cox, Ward F. Chick, Rodney J. Marks, Harry Taylor, William Merrigan, Charles P. Ladd.

Refreshments will be served during the entire evening and Chairman Bennett says that no one will have a chance to be thirsty. All come and enjoy yourselves. Tickets on sale by all members and at the old Town Hall, Legion headquarters, Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, \$1.50 per couple.

ARLINGTON LOCALS.

—The regular meeting of Post 36, G. A. R., occurs next Thursday evening.

—The Arlington Heights Tennis Club will hold a "Valentine Dance" in the Town Hall, Saturday, Feb. 14, Dancing from eight till twelve.

—On Friday, Jan. 30, at Symmes Arlington Hospital, a nine pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Higgins of Mass. avenue.

—Sunday services in St. John's church, Episcopal,—morning prayer and sermon 10.45; evening prayer and sermon 7.30; church school in the Parish House 9.30 A. M.

—The "Dartmouth Dance," will be held in the Town Hall, tomorrow evening. The plans of the management warrant an exceedingly pleasant affair,—a highly successful one as well.

—On Wednesday Jan. 28th, a baby boy (weight 8 lbs.) was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Howard at their residence 43 Pond lane. Both mother and child are doing finely. This is the third child of a happy family.

—Frank, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold R. Webb, returned to his home on Thursday, much improved and well on the road to recovery. The lad was operated upon for appendicitis two weeks ago by Dr. Lahey and has been at the Deaconess Hospital, Brookline, where he could be near the surgeon for observance.

—Miss Caroline Gordon was hostess at an informal dance at her home on Bartlett avenue, last Friday evening, when ten couples enjoyed her hospitality. Many favors were presented and Miss Katherine Hunt and Mr. Robert Smith were awarded the prize for the most graceful dancers. Refreshments were included in the evening's entertainment.

—Messrs. Harold Cahalin, Malcolm Dodge, Philip Brooks, W. T. Chamberlain and E. Lowe, are to be congratulated on the success of the dancing party given under their direction in Robbins Memorial Town Hall, Saturday evening, Jan. 31. Mr. "Sid" Reinherz and his orchestra proved to be a decided feature of the evening. About eighty couples attended and many pretty gowns were noted. N. J. Hardy, caterer, served refreshments.

—St. John's Episcopal church is taking its part in the campaign of the domination, known in this diocese as "The Church's Call." This campaign is primarily a "call to a deeper personal religious life and faith." A pageant "The Builders of The City of God," will be given in the church

at the regular 10.45 service within a week or two. One interesting and helpful feature of the campaign is the five minute talk at the morning services given by a layman from this or some other parish, giving to the people a layman's point of view as to the needs of the church and the possibility of service on the part of all. Mr. Stuart C. Rand is the five-minute speaker appointed from this parish.

—Edward B. Schwamb is goal-guard on the Tech hockey team.

—Mrs. J. C. Harris of Academy St., is ill with influenza and is attended by a nurse.

—Patrolman F. Joseph Cahalin has been confined to his home on Water street this week, on account of a heavy cold.

—Frederick C. Gardner of East Arlington has taken out nomination papers and will be a candidate for the office of Board of Public Works.

—On Thursday afternoon of last week an oil stove caught fire in a house owned by Russell Barr on Lancaster road. Very little damage resulted.

—The Unitarian Alliance voted at its business meeting to purchase two sewing machines and two motors from the Red Cross which will soon discontinue meetings.

—Thomas J. Green of 93 Warren street has taken out nomination papers for the office of Board of Health and will oppose Dr. F. Holden Smith, who is also seeking the office.

—The annual meeting of District No. 11 of Suffolk Branch of Woman's Board, will be held in the Pleasant street Congregational church, Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 2.30 o'clock. The subject is "Our Open Doors." The speakers are Mrs. John E. Merrill, Missionary from Aintab, Turkey, and Miss Ruth Seabury, secretary of Young People's Work for Woman's

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Whereas, the Board of Survey of the Town of Arlington, being of the opinion that public convenience and necessity, and the present and future interests of the Town of Arlington, require that the private way known as GLOUCESTER STREET from Highland Avenue to Mount Vernon Street, should be laid out as a public way and Whereas, the said Board of Survey has voted its intention to lay out said private way as a public way under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be given on said intention of the Board in the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, on Tuesday evening, February 17, 1920, at eight o'clock.

Per Order of the Board of Survey
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Board. There will also be reviews of work done by the societies in the district. Music and social hour will follow.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Hendrick on Thursday morning. Mother and baby are both doing well.

—Edward T. Ryan of Gardner St., has taken out nomination papers, and will be a candidate for the office of Selectman at the March election.

—Ruth Emogene Reynolds arrived at Symmes Hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 5th, 11 pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deane S. Reynolds of Newton, formerly of Addison street.

—The ice on the new hockey rink in the rear of the High school has been too rough for playing the games scheduled. For this reason the schedule has been more or less upset.

—The regular meeting of the Sowers was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Gaylord Brackett. After the business meeting, the sewing on infants garments filled the rest of the afternoon.

—Patrons of James O. Holt's grocery store were glad this week to welcome Mr. Tucker at his accustomed place once again. Mr. Tucker had been absent two weeks from his duties on account of illness.

—Mr. William Fletcher Tuttle has been spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Wm. H. H. Tuttle, prior to assuming his duties in a New York concern with whom he has just accepted a position. Mr. Tuttle has been located in Washington.

—The meeting of St. Agnes Court, Daughters of Isabella, next Monday evening, in G. A. R. Hall, will be an entertaining one. It will be a valentine costume party and two prizes will be offered. This is for members only.

—This week a new crossover switch has been put in at the head of Medford street. The old switch was worn and the cars rode the switch in such a manner as to cause the front of the car to go in one direction and the rear in another.

—The Social Alliance of First Parish (Unitarian) church has postponed its annual "Guest Night," from Monday, Feb. 9, to Wednesday, Feb. 11. Supper at six thirty in the vestry. Rev. L. C. Dethlefs of Medford, will be the speaker, his topic being "Americanization."

—H. H. Patterson of Varnum St. is the owner of a little farm at East Holliston, and he has always been proud of the records of his hens. A few days ago he visited the farm and his father-in-law, Charles Milligan who runs the farm, called Mr. Patterson's attention to the Rhode Island pullets, showing him an egg, measuring four inches in length, and six and a quarter inches in circumference, laid by one of these pullets.

—Smith College is asking for its quota of \$4,000,000 to enable it to give its professors a living wage, build more dormitories and to provide for better scientific equipment. The committee for this fund in Arlington consisting of Mrs. Walter Mooers chairman, Mrs. Solon Gray, Miss Doris Devereaux and Miss Louise Hatch, has met already with a hearty response from the friends of the college and those interested in education.

—Sunday evening, at the First Baptist church, Rev. Henry S. Potter, D. D., will continue the series planned especially to inspire and help young people to make the most of life. The topic is "The Market Price of Success." The Male chorus and orchestra will assist in the music. Mrs. Robert H. Nichols, contralto, will be the soloist, singing "Nearer My God To Thee," by Holden. Morning subject, "The Secret of a church's Success."

—The members of the New England Fox Hunter's Club, residing in this town, were notified this week that the annual mid-winter meet would be held, despite the fact that a previous announcement stated that the meet would be postponed. For years this mid-winter meet has been held in January at Bedford, but this year will be shifted to Milford, where foxes abound, it is said.

—On Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, in St. James' church Teele Square, West Somerville, a mass meeting for the Episcopal churches of this vicinity in the interest of The Church's Call. The service will be one hour in duration. The speakers will be the Rev. Daniel Dulany Addison, D. D., rector of All Saints' church, Brookline, and Mr. Stoughton Bell, president of the Episcopal Club of Mass. It is hoped that many will attend from Arlington.

—A son, Stuart Craig, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart C. Rand (Louise Hooker) on Sunday morning, at the Cambridge Hospital. The boy weighed eight pounds and nine ounces. On Wednesday, we regret to state, scarlet fever developed, which necessitated the moving of Mrs. Rand to the apartment of Mr. Rand's mother, who vacated the same that her daughter-in-law might be surrounded with everything for her comfort which will materially aid in her recovery. Mrs. Rand withstood the moving remarkably and her condition

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After Thirty Years A SERMON

BY

REV. SAMUEL C. BUSHNELL

Reviewing Thirty Years as Pastor of
the Arlington Orthodox
Congregational Church

"We spend our years as a tale that is
told."—Psalms 90: 9.

In telling the story of the present
pastorate, which culminates today,
after a happy fellowship of thirty
years, we are reminded of the four
preceding pastorates, those of Mr.
Horton, Dr. Cady, Mr. Merrill and
Dr. Mason.

The church was organized on the
14th of December, 1842—seventy-
eight years ago—with 34 members:
9 men and 25 women.

Rev. Francis Horton had the honor
of being the first minister, and re-
mained here eleven years, from the
5th of March, 1843, until March 29,
1854. He was installed on the 17th
of May, 1843. During those eleven
years he received 93 into the church.
Its growth was steady but not rapid.
The main thing in that first decade
was to lay the foundations, and get
things well started. The church was
fortunate in receiving into its mem-
bership on the 6th of July, 1845, Mr.
and Mrs. John Field, who for thirty-
one years gave the best of their ener-
gies to the welfare of this church and
community. Mr. Field selected Ar-
lington as his place of residence be-
cause he felt that this particular
church needed him, and that through
it he might be more useful than any-
where else in the neighborhood of
Boston.

The second minister was the Rev.
Daniel B. Cady, D. D., who was in-
stalled February 14, 1856, and dis-
missed June 29, 1877, after a pastora-
te of twenty-one years and four
months, which covered the second
and third decades of the history of
this church. This was a stirring pe-
riod, preceding and following the
Civil War, and was marked by the
addition of 262 members. Dr. Cady's
was a great pastorate, and his in-
fluence was felt in many of the sur-
rounding towns.

The third minister was the Rev. J.
Lewis Merrill, who was installed on
the 3rd of January, 1878, and died
two and a half years later on the
20th of June, 1880. His pastorate
though brief made a deep impression.
Twenty-four members were added to
the church, and progress was made
in all departments. Mr. Merrill was
a man of rare sweetness and excel-
lence of spirit, and quickly won the
esteem of the entire community.

Nearly two years elapsed before
the fourth minister, the Rev. Edward
B. Mason, D. D., was installed on the
9th day of March, 1882. His pastora-
te covered seven years. He was dis-
missed April 2, 1889. Under his di-
rection the church grew more rapidly
than ever before, 125 being added to
its membership, an average of nearly
18 per year as against 12 for the
whole period.

The present pastorate began on the
6th of February, 1890, during which
time we have received 412 into the
church, a total of 927, including the
original 34. We number 328 today as
against 226 in 1890. As we go back
in thought to the installation on
Thursday February 6, thirty years
ago, we are reminded that this is
indeed a changing world. Of the
Committee of the Church and Society
which called the Council, Deacon
Myron Taylor is the only one who is
here today. Cassius M. Hall and
Robert A. Ware soon moved away,
and Edmund W. Noyes and Samuel
A. Fowle have died. Six of the nine
clergymen who took part in the in-
stallation have died. Dr. W. S. Alex-
ander, Rev. E. S. Tead, Rev. F. G.
Clark, Rev. M. C. Julien, Rev. Elijah
Horr, D. D., and Rev. William Carru-
thers. Rev. Charles M. Olmstead,
Rev. A. E. Dunning, D. D., and Rev.
Charles L. Noyes, D. D., are still liv-
ing. Only 13 heads of families who
welcomed me to Arlington are here
today. W. S. Durgin, William Gratto,
R. Walter Hilliard, Henry A. Kidder,
John A. Lindsay, Charles S. Parker,
Dr. John I. Peatfield, Howard W.
Spurr, G. Arthur Swan, Charles H.
Swan, Myron Taylor, A. W. Trow and
G. P. Walcott. One of these, the ed-
itor of the "Advocate," in telling his
readers about the installation, pre-
dicted for the new pastor "many
years of happy and successful labor."

The happiness began at once and
has continued until this day, broken
only by the sorrows which we have
shared together, as one after another
until hundreds have passed beyond
our reach, but brightened by the
coming of as many more who, like
John Field, in 1845, had the wisdom
to cast their lot with us, and by
whom we have been greatly blessed.
None of us can ever regret what he
has been able to do for his fellowmen
through this organization. Our only
regret is that we have not done more
by making better use of the facilities
at hand. For only those things
stand to our credit which we have
actually done or tried to do. There
are many things which we may pro-
perly leave to others, but no one who
believes in the work of the Christian
Church will ever consent to let any
one else do his work. What the
church needs today is a keener sense
of the importance of its own high
task. We have been losing our op-
portunity by failing to see it. We
have magnified lesser things.

John Field was a wise man when
he came to Arlington in 1845, not
merely to live, but to identify him-
self with Christian work. He in-
vested his strength here for more
than thirty years, counting it a priv-
ilege to spend his time and strength
and money in making this church a
more efficient instrument for the
building up of the Kingdom of God.
Like him, everybody has something
to give, some influence to exert, some
weight to add or withhold. And the
question for each to decide is how
and where to put forth his energy.
The mistake which we make is that
we invest too little in Christian
work, and get correspondingly small
returns. "He that soweth sparingly
shall reap sparingly, and he that
soweth bountifully shall reap also
bountifully." It is a question of reli-
gious insight. We enrich or im-

poor ourselves as we give or with-
hold our strength from God.

Any man who is conscious of the
deeper needs of his fellowmen, and of
the supreme importance of pure and
undefiled religion to the life of the
world, should identify himself heart
and soul with some branch of the
Christian church, regardless of the
cost, nay, rejoicing in the cost. The
cost will never hinder such a man.
What drew me to Arlington was the
fact that I found such people here,
a group of men and women who
honored me by the invitation to come
and help them in their splendid work,
an invitation for which I have never
ceased to be proud and grateful, and
in their name I ask all who desire
the best things for their fellowmen
and are not affiliated with any other
church in Arlington, to unite with
them. I came here because I be-
lieved that there is nothing finer or
more necessary to the world than
what this church was organized to
accomplish. I was interested at once
in other things pertaining to Arling-
ton, its schools, its library, its busi-
ness and social life, the Boat Club,
and other organizations, but all these
things were secondary to the church,
because however important they min-
istered only to man's lesser needs.
Those lesser needs are real, and must
be cared for, but as a clergyman I
never should have come to Arlington
merely to minister to those needs.
For man has a soul as well as a body,
a heart as well as a mind, and the
church ministers more especially to
this higher part. That is its chief
function, and he who fails to realize
it is only partially alive, because un-
aware or unresponsive to the Su-
preme Reality.

The presence of a minister in a
community, especially a new minis-
ter—the presence of my successor,
when he arrives—will be a challenge
to attention because of the errand
on which he comes. He will be a
messenger for Christ and a spokes-
man for God. Jesus sent his dis-
ciples forth to preach the Gospel.
They appeared like other men, wear-
ing similar clothing. They were
known, as Jesus was, not by their
garments, but by what they said and
did. It was their business which dis-
tinguished them. No one misunder-
stood them, or the reason why they
were present in any community. They
represented Him whose one aim in
life was to reveal the Father, and
they who seek to do the will of the
Father will rally—it seems to me—
to their support. The churches of
Arlington should never lack assist-
ance. The coming or going of one
minister or another is only incidental
to the religious life of the commu-
nity. The church remains, and the
loyalty of the people to the church
tells how much alive they are to the
best and highest things, and tells
how desirable the community is as a
place of residence.

For the fact which is of most im-
portance to man is not the world in
which he lives but each man's per-
sonal relation to the Creator of the
world. If man were like the beasts
that perish he would know the world
only as a dwelling place. He could
not conceive of God as its creator, but
would be shut up to a narrow range
of vision, to a meager and paltry ex-
perience. But being immeasurably
superior to the beasts, because endow-
ed with an intelligence which they
do not possess, able to extend
his vision below phenomena and be-
yond phenomena; able to use the mi-
croscope and the telescope which he
has invented and which no animal
could invent any more than it could
write books, or navigate the sea or
the air; knowing himself to be bigger
than the universe itself, which mani-
festly exists on his account since
there is no one in sight but man for
whom the world can be supposed to
exist; able to think of God not only
as his sovereign, as the ancients did,
but as his Father and his Friend, and
of his own life as reaching onward
into the infinite future if for no other
reason than that he may get better
acquainted with God than is possible
here;—with all these advantages
over the beast that perishes, he can-
not be content with a merely animal
existence, finding his satisfaction
simply in the gratification of his phys-
ical and material desires. Endowed
as he is with powers of thought and
feeling, able to look backward and
forward over infinite spaces of time;
able to move about from place to
place with greater ease than a cap-
tain can navigate his vessel; con-
scious of a freedom of action not
self-derived but divinely bestowed,
no more his own because he made it
than his liver and his lungs are his
own because he made them;—placed
thus in a marvellous world but him-
self more marvellous than the world
he lives in, he must ask questions,
the answer to which will determine
what sort of a man he intends to be,
and whether or not he will be a part-
ner with God in His great purpose of
making the kingdoms of this world
the kingdom of our Lord and Saviour
Jesus Christ.

For after all that is the vital ques-
tion, whether a man is keen enough
to see what God is working for and
big-hearted enough to make God's
plan his own. The Christian minister
has no lesser aim than this,—to rally
men and women to fellowship with
God in His great endeavor to uplift
and redeem mankind.

The church is simply a means to
that end, an instrument to be used
as we used the Army and Navy, the
Red Cross and the other instrument-
alities to win the war. For let no
one fancy that the great object which
God has in view will ever be accom-
plished without means. It is a work
for man by man, in which each
should participate unless he considers
himself an outsider. No doubt the
means employed are imperfect. So
were the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A.,
the Army and Navy, yet without them
we never could have won the war.
The Christian church is also imper-
fect because made up of imperfect
people. If you would raise its stand-
ard, do not stand outside and criti-
cize, but join its membership and
help to elevate it. Our political par-
ties are far from perfect but we have
to use them in order to carry on the
government. The great thing to bear
in mind is the end in view, the re-
demption of the world by our Lord

Jesus Christ. And the time to aban-
don the church, or to stand aloof
from it, is never during a change of
leadership. The test of loyalty comes
when the need is greatest.

To give you a leaf from our own
church records: With the exception
of the six months preceding my pas-
torate, when the Rev. Frank G. Clark
was serving as temporary supply,
there has never been an addition to
this church when the pastorate has
been vacant. And all told the pas-
torate has been vacant nearly six
years, or one-thirteenth of the entire
life of the church; two years be-
tween the first pastorate and the sec-
ond, six months between the second
and the third, two years lacking two
weeks between the third and the
fourth, and ten months between the
fourth and the fifth. Additions have
been made every year from the first
when a pastor has been here. It is
no time to leave a church or curtail
its support when the pastorate is va-
cant. What we need is the courage
before daylight, the courage of those
cold dark hours when one's vitality
is at the lowest point. The men to
honor are they who keep their organ-
ization intact,—who hold things to-
gether as in the case of Trinity
Church and the Old South in Boston,
and then make a place for a Phillips
Brooks and a George A. Gordon.

The coming of Jesus Christ into
the world with the revelation which
he has clearly made concerning the
character and the will of God, re-
moves any doubt as to the wisdom of
trusting such an One to the utter-
most. For in Jesus we see God as
infinitely good, gracious and kind,
appealing to the best that is in man be-
cause of the presence in Himself to a
supreme degree of every excellence
of which man can conceive. In Him
all fulness dwells, and in Him is no
lack of anything which is desirable.
Though high and lifted up, He is
not so exalted as to be beyond the
reach of His children, whom He per-
fectly understands and loves, and
whose fellowship He longs for in
order to help them to become like
Himself. He knoweth our frame, be-
cause He made it, and though He
knoweth that we are as dust without
His assistance, He vouchsafes that as-
sistance and bids us to be perfect as
He is perfect. With God thus re-
vealed in Jesus Christ, and further
manifested in experience to each re-
sponsive heart by the Divine Spirit,
man lacks nothing for the achieve-
ment of a great career but the con-
secration of his life to the best and
the highest ends.

Having finished his discourse, Mr.
Bushnell read the following letter:—

To the Members of the Arlington Orthodox
Congregational Church and Society:

DEAR FRIENDS:—

Thirty years ago you conferred up-
on me the great honor of becoming
your leader in Christian work. We
have had a long and happy fellow-
ship together. During this time the
Town has doubled its population, and
events have occurred which have
changed the history of the world. It
has been a period of absorbing inter-
est, and though conscious of many
shortcomings, we may fondly hope
that our labors together have not
been in vain in the Lord.

But a new and difficult period is
now before us—that of reconstruction
and advance. Never was the church
more needed than it is in our trou-
bled world of today. Yet the time
has come for a change in the leader-
ship here, and for hearty and enthu-
siastic co-operation on the part of all.
Thirty years is no inconsiderable por-
tion of a man's life. But in my case
you must add to this the eleven years
of a former pastorate and all the pre-
ceding years of preparation for the
ministry, which taken together bring
me close to the point where it is ad-
visable for a leader to surrender his
task to another.

Anticipating this event and feeling
the obligation of providing a home
for my family, a house has been se-
cured in New Haven, Conn., which we
plan to occupy in the Fall, going
back to the city of my birth, which I
left forty-one years ago, and where
I shall find enough to do to keep me
fully occupied.

In offering you, therefore, as I now
do, my resignation, to take effect
four months later, on the 1st of June,
I am keenly sensible of the pain
which this means to us both. The ties
which have bound me so long and so
happily to this church and this com-
munity cannot lightly be broken.
Everyone in town has been good to
me, especially those who have called
upon me for any service of which I
could render. They have permanently
put me in their debt. And I hate to
grieve anyone by going away. But
the one great joy in my heart is that
I am the troublemaker and not you;
that a relationship is to be termi-
nated, not because you desired it, but
because you unselfishly set aside your
own wishes because I felt that the
time had come to make this change.
I know you too well to doubt your
action in this matter, and I rejoice
in you accordingly.

I need not assure you of my un-
abated interest in this church and
community. It has been a delight to
live here, and it will be a delight to
come back as often as I may. New
Haven is not far away, and we may
still count on many renewals of our
fellowship. My one hope and prayer
is that you may succeed in the future
even more than in the past, and in
common with the other churches of
Arlington do a mighty work for the
upbuilding of the Kingdom of God.

Affectionately Your Pastor
SAMUEL C. BUSHNELL.

WAR RISK INSURANCE.

Director R. G. Cholmeley-Jones of
the bureau of war risk insurance says
that misleading, and incorrect state-
ments relative to the permanency of
government insurance are being cir-
culated by individuals apparently en-
gaged in attempted "twisting" of in-
surance. A specific and typical re-
port by the director was to the effect
that some of these individuals had
boarded a naval vessel at Philadel-
phia and had told the sailors that

Government Insurance would not be
good after five years.

Government life insurance for vet-
erans of the great war is a perma-
nent proposition. Misleading state-
ments have been made to the effect
that government insurance will
cease at the end of five years after
the war, or that it will be turned over
to private companies. Such state-
ments are absolutely false and with-
out foundation. There is however, a
requirement that the temporary term
insurance held during the war which
increased in cost from year to year,
be changed or converted into one of
the six permanent forms of Govern-
ment life insurance, (ordinary life,
20-year payment life, 30-payment
life, 20-year endowment, 30-year en-
dowment, or endowment at age 62)
within five years after the formal
declaration of peace by proclamation
of the President, if the insured de-
sires to continue to be protected. This
permanent insurance does not in-
crease in premium cost as the insured
grows older.

Improper conduct by the individ-
uals above referred to is in direct
opposition to the attitude of the great
life insurance companies, which is
embraced in a statement by the secre-
tary of one of the large companies,
who recently said:—

"Of course, a life insurance com-
pany can not grant insurance at less
than cost, but the government offers
insurance to soldiers and sailors at
less than it would cost the Govern-
ment to grant that insurance (that is
because the Government bears all ex-
penses of management, etc.). The
government is justified in this lib-er-
ality in consideration of the fact that
these soldiers and sailors have risked
their lives, or have been willing to
risk their lives, for the benefit of the
Nation. All this being so, it is ob-
viously expedient for soldiers and
sailors to take all the insurance offered
by the Government at the low
rate charged."

The company whose secretary
made the above statement has in-
structed all its agents to refuse to
take applications from soldiers and
sailors until they have taken the full
amount of the new government insur-
ance to which they are entitled.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
PROBATE COURT.

Middlesex, ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, cre-
ditors, and all other persons inter-
ested in the estate of James L. Mc-
Cabe, late of Arlington, in said
County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented
to said Court to be held at Cambridge, in said
County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day
of February, A. D., 1920, at nine o'clock in
the forenoon, to show cause if any you have,
why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to
give public notice thereof, by publishing this
citation once in each week, for three suc-
cessive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a
newspaper published in Arlington, the last
publication to be one day, at least, before
said Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire,
First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth
day of January in the year one thousand nine
hundred and twenty.
30Jan2w F. M. ESTY, Register.

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THE SCHOOL OPPORTUNITY.

There are in Arlington probably about 6,000 children all told. This number is sufficient to raise many problems,—in the home in the schools, in the town. And Arlington is not unkind of its youth. In the matter of school plants, few towns equal ours, while the teaching force is large and competent. The town, with genuine farsightedness, has voted to raise the salaries of its school teachers. This is in line with the movement for better paid teachers throughout the land. In an editorial, the Boston Herald significantly said a few days ago:—

"There are said to be over 50,000 vacancies in the public schools of the United States today, yet never has the need of a full teaching force been greater than now. The schools are our chief agency for the Americanization of the people, and this is especially true of schools in the larger cities. If the next generation is to be 100 per cent. American the schools will have to make it so. We cannot well afford, therefore, to practice false economy in this field of public effort. Schools must have more money and must find some way of getting it."

Yet one wonders sometimes whether too much may not be done for the children.

It is not quite fair to recall the years when children began their education in log-school houses and ungraded schools; when books and paper and pencils, and ink and pens were bought by the children or their parents; when an understanding of the three R's was the achievement of village scholars. Yet Webster came out of just such a district school, as did also many not so distinguished. No one would go back to the "good old times," when log-seats of learning were heated by a wood stove, about the length of a cordwood stick; when the beginners and the graduating class sat side by side. While working out a sum in fractions I used to hear a class recite in a, b, c. Of course the quality and even brain quantity counted in those days no less at least than they do now. One was obliged to break out his path in school, as truly and really as when going to school in winter.

Educators are never oblivious to the fact that endowments are unequal,—that quantity and quality counts,—and yet so much is done for the child nowadays that he may not always recognize this fact. Even fortunately endowed children do not discover their good fortune until it is too late to make the most of it. It would be unwise, were it possible, to re-establish the primitive conditions, yet the real value of that rough age is not outgrown.

Elegant school houses, graded schools, free equipment and sometimes free lunch, with obedient and competent teachers, can no more make scholars than basswood can be transformed into mahogany. Sometimes the impression gets abroad that the school makes the pupil, which is never the case. It merely is an opportunity.

Yet it is a great opportunity, as the seed planting time. The matured, ripened, accomplished scholar is a splendid product. But there was a time when the seed was sown in his mind. And that was a crucial time. Now seed may be information, an understanding of the ways of nature, or it may be an understanding of oneself,—the ways of one's own nature. Fortunate is that boy or girl who discovers his own powers, and the use thereof according to the great purpose of nature. This discovery is of great importance; yet sometimes I think few there are who find it.

One cannot remain a child any more than spring can refuse to pass into summer. We must move on. But we carry more or less of childhood with us. It is not always possible to tell just how much of school life abides; but some ideas, estimates of persons, friendships, vivid impressions, both fortunate and unfortunate, methods of doing things, dreams unreported, struggles in imagination, tentative outreaching of soul as vines search for sunlight, these remain as values forever. College men, after twenty-five or fifty years, wonder whether four years in college halls was time well spent. While they generally forget what they learned, they still have left enough to repay in full. After all the real gains are in personality, in the indefinable quality, like flavor, which separates one from another.

I have been reading recently Robert Louis Stevenson and have been fascinated as heretofore by the almost perfect matching between thought and expression and the individual stamp of the man. Could our schools put us on the way to find ourselves, they would do us the greatest possible service.

Unquestionably the fate of the nation is in the keeping of the schools more than any other institution, more than in the church, perhaps than even in the home. During the years of greatest impressibility the teacher has the child in hand and if she betrays this trust, woe be unto her. The marvel is that there are so many good

teachers in so heterogeneous a world. Not a few teach between times, fill in a gap in this way, without any intention of making it a life work, and yet they make impressions for good which will last forever. The value of the school to the nation has been burped into our soul as we have seen what training of a generation may be, as in the case of Germany. Except for the schools, Germany would never have entertained the lust for world power and dominion, nor would she have fought so terrifically for so unholy an ambition. They were misled in the school room.

Sometimes I wonder whether the youth and developed much in virile virtues in our schools. Athletics are spectacular rather than formative for most of the boys and girls, although something is being done for a larger number. Admiration of a school team from the seats is not muscular strengthening nor moral weaving. Often it is quite the opposite. The demand for physical training no less than mental is a hopeful sign. No finer thing can be found in modern legislation than the protection of the child against greed on the part of parents, and on the part of some forms of business. The child's childhood should be secured him as freely as sunlight and air. Unfortunately multitudes of children are obliged to live in unnatural and sometimes almost inhuman surroundings. How to counteract these disadvantages is even beyond the schools. However, much is being done in this direction and the day will come when children will know the full meaning of a delightful and fruitful childhood.

JOHN G. TAYLOR.

A WAR STORY.

Dr. Philip A. E. Sheppard, formerly of Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, has reported again in Boston, after recovery from his overseas experiences. Although of English birth, he was a naturalized citizen of this country two or three years before war was declared with Germany, and as soon as this country entered the strife, he offered his services for military duty. During his younger days, when for about twenty years, he spent his vacations studying the native tribes of South Africa, he nearly lost his life in an encounter with a buffalo. The injuries that remained from the attack of this wild beast ruled him out of service in the American army. He tried again and again, six or seven times in all, but was always rejected. He then enlisted in Canada and was commissioned surgeon in the Royal Navy Transport Service. On his way to England, the vessel that carried him was prey to a German torpedo and was sunk. By this he lost his personal papers, including the address book of his Massachusetts friends. On reaching London he was enrolled in the Royal Army Medical Corps and almost without delay was detailed for service in the field. He was first with the East Lancashire Field Ambulance and afterwards Medical Officer in charge of the 9th Manchester regiment. This gave him abundant experience at the front and here he was among those incapacitated by gas from German bombs. Suffering also from shell shock, he was finally sent to the great Millbank Hospital in London, with organic troubles induced by the strenuous life in the trenches.

On returning to this country, Dr. Sheppard was about to seek surgical intervention, when he was directed to Davenport, Iowa, and after treatment became interested in the Palmer School of Chiropractic where he completed a course of study. He now adds the knowledge thus acquired to his former training, which included the regular courses leading to the degree, M. D., (Harvard) and research work as special investigator for the Massachusetts Board of Health. His work on infantile paralysis is classic.

Settled again in Boston Dr. Sheppard has opened offices in Hotel Oxford, but finds himself somewhat handicapped through the loss of his business memoranda now at the bottom of the Atlantic. For that reason he will be glad if his former friends will make themselves known to him.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Emma S. Davis, otherwise known as Emma W. Davis, late of Lexington, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles B. Davis, of Lexington, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a security bond, and

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lexington Minute-Man, a newspaper published in said County, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

30jan3w F. M. ESTY, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

LAND COURT.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Arlington, a municipal corporation located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; Emma M. Harris, Florence W. Harris, Lillian L. Smith, Laura G. Prescott and Mary B. Gage of said Arlington; Frederick A. Cheney, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Sewell J. Gage, of Somerville, and Fannie F. Sylvester, of Malden, in said County of Middlesex; James F. Parmenter of Boston, Trustee under the will of Wm. Cotting, late of Fitchburg, in the County of Worcester, and said Commonwealth; Rosa M. Gage of Concord, in the State of New Hampshire; J. Prescott Gage, of Yonkers, in the State of New York; Edward C. Gage, of Paul's Valley, in the State of Oklahoma; Frank H. Gage, of Charleston, in the State of Washington; and to all whom it may concern:—

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said County by Lucy H. Deering, of said Arlington, to register and confirm her title in the following described land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Arlington, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a point on the Northwesterly side of Academy street at land of Emma M. Harris, and Florence W. Harris, thence running Northwesterly in a straight line on said Harris land 161.29 feet to land of Frederick A. Cheney, thence turning and running Northwesterly in a straight line on land of said Cheney, and of Fannie F. Sylvester, and of Lillian L. Smith 141.97 feet to land of Sewell J. Gage et al.; thence turning and running Southeasterly in a straight line on said Gage land 130.4 feet to said Academy Street; thence turning and running Southeasterly in a straight line on said Academy Street 9.97 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 23200 square feet more or less.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.
You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the first day of March, A. D. 1920 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, CHARLES THORNTON DAVIS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January in the year nineteen hundred and twenty.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
[SEAL]
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.
30jan3w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary J. Hammond, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Andrew Hammond, of Arlington, in the County of Middlesex without giving a security on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

23jan3w F. M. ESTY, Register.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Andreas L. Wallin to Sarah Eaves, dated March 29, 1917, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4126, Page 250, which mortgage was duly assigned to James P. Lewis by instrument duly recorded with said Deeds, for breach of the condition contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises described below on Monday, February 16, 1920, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—

"The land in Lexington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, two certain lots or parcels of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Chase Avenue, being Lots numbered 272 and 273 as shown on plan of Lots at Liberty Heights, belonging to Jacob W. Wilbur, said plan being made by A. L. Elliot, Surveyor, dated Nov. 19, 1909, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 182, Plan 41. Said lots 272 and 273 measure each 30 feet in width, by 80 feet in depth and contain each according to said plan 2400 square feet more or less."

"Subject to a first mortgage of \$2000."

"Subject to restrictions of record."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles and municipal liens if any there are.

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JAMES P. LEWIS,

Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

George H. Bruce, Atty.

73 Tremont Street,

Boston, Mass. 23jan3w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine A. O'Brien, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John A. Brett, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, or to some other suitable person, and

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the ninth day of February, A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid a copy of said citation to all the heirs at law of said deceased fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

23jan3w F. M. ESTY, Register.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Mildred Goodwin, late of Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MINNIE V. GOODWIN, ROY R. GOODWIN, Executors.

(Address) 3 Wyman Terrace, Arlington, Mass., January 27, 1920.

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THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

We preface what we have to say on this all absorbing topic by repeating that which has often appeared in these columns, namely, that the people of the United States stand practically as a unit in favor of any compact that will in the future greatly hinder if not wholly abolish war between nations. The writer has had a personal lesson in war and hates it. The real controversy that has for some months claimed the attention of the whole world, is not based on the completing of a treaty of peace between nations with whom the United States is technically still at war, but on basal principles wholly outside of such a treaty. The League of Nations, for ulterior purposes made Article One of the treaty with Germany, is wholly drawn on the lines of internationalism,—to accomplish by edict that which never has and we believe never can be so accomplished, for the simple reason that securing a military force adequate is a simple impossibility. The foundation of a compact to secure permanent peace among nations must be moral, not physical force.

For more than a century the world has had an object lesson in a League of Nations. In 1776 thirteen independent colonies in America dropped all minor considerations and united in a common cause to secure independence from the nation to which until then they had held some slack allegiance. By unity of action that independence was at last grudgingly acknowledged by the mother country, and a new nation was born, organized under acts of confederation.

These several colonies had more things in common, were more nearly akin in all the elements that go to the making of a prosperous nation than any other peoples on earth at that time, and yet as a confederation it was a complete failure, how signally such, one has only to read the history of the decade following the close of the revolutionary war to clearly see.

Convinced that a mistake in the form of central government of the colonies, now designated as states, had been made, the Articles of Confederation were abandoned and as a substitute for them the present Constitution of the United States was substituted. Here again the point we are making will become illuminative to any who will read the history of the time elapsing before this substitution became operative. Human nature is much the same then as we find it now.

We have already alluded to the fact that to a larger extent than existed in any other part of the world, the American colonies had the true community feeling and purpose. How difficult it was for them to permanently found a nation has been suggested.

Now if our forbears, so nearly seeing eye to eye, found the making of this league we are proud to speak of as the United States of America an almost impossible task, how much more it must be to bring peoples of different races and inherited antagonisms into harmonious and united action in the interests of universal peace.

Next week, either by unanimous concert or action of a majority in the U. S. Senate, the League of Nations compact and the treaty with Germany will again be before that body for action, first on the series of reservations agreed upon by a majority of the Senate and later on the treaty as a whole with or without reservations.

Without these reservations, the League of Nations is as inadequate to accomplish the object aimed at as was the Articles of Confederation to cement into a homogenous whole the states forming our nation. With them accepted the United States of America will have its individuality maintained and still stand, as it has in the past, a pattern for others, an example of what is worth planning and struggling for, more potent than ever before in promoting an era of good feeling, more powerful than any

physical force in moving the world forward to the time when war shall be known no more.

On the day the armistice was signed and for two months succeeding, there was more nearly a "league of nations," in working order than at any time since. A common purpose for a common good made a tie binding different peoples stronger than any physical power could have exerted. What has changed all this is a matter of history. The brighter ray through the clouds has been the letter of Viscount Grey, given to the public a few days ago. We all want peace; we all pray that the method of securing it will be soon developed. This will be more likely to come when the spirit of Abraham Lincoln rules the hour. Under similar conditions he wrote to the U. S. Senate, in laying before that body a recently agreed upon treaty:—

"In performing this duty I have only to add that the importance of the subject thus submitted to the Senate cannot be overestimated, and I will cheerfully receive and consider with the highest respect any further advice the Senate may think proper to give upon the subject."

BE PATIENT.

With society women combining to cut the high cost of living by boycotts and film propaganda; also by pledging themselves to refrain from buying until concessions are made, on the one hand, and the fact, on the other hand, that the demand for commodities is far in excess of supply, the business man of today has a rather serious condition to meet. There is also one other factor not often considered,—the steady cheapening of the American dollar. This lessening in value is slight as compared with what has come to the currency of foreign peoples, but it is an element in that combination of unusual conditions incident to every reconstruction period. While the profiteer should be pursued and punished to the full extent possible, he is the exception. The average business man is dealing fairly. All that is required to bring better times is patience, forbearance, making the best of conditions now obtaining and using every effort to better them.

[Correspondence.]

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

Abraham Lincoln has almost ceased to stand in the thought of the nation as an historical figure of commanding importance, except as a part of the great civil war. Instead he has become the idolized Great American. What his antecedents were, the hardships and struggles of his youth, the way in which he overcame all hindrances, his genius for friendship, his instinctive recognition of worth in men, his great and exceptional native endowment, his simplicity and genuineness, all are familiar to the American people and very largely to the world.

As, therefore, we note the anniversary of his birthday, Feb. 12, 1809, there is no call to rehearse these outstanding qualities of a great personality. The fact of greatest significance is that he has become one of the few ideals of mankind. While the real Lincoln would not take away from the ideal, yet his historical measurement is not possible, any more than one can gauge Washington or even perhaps Moses. And it is highly creditable to the race that it builds the ideal man out of the stuff of which common mortals are made.

Sometimes one wonders whether the elements are so mixed in human nature that any really great personalities are possible. Off at a distance outstanding men and women may seem almost divine, but near to, they shrink into small proportions. And because of this fact even great men have been judged by their faults rather than by their virtues. Yet this is not fair to human nature. Not even the finest and greatest souls would go free under this test. They all fall down sometime, to their own humiliation and to the disappointment of friends. Yet that they get up again and go on from strength to strength, is proof of their inherent greatness. And this idealization of manhood, this creation of great personalities out of men like unto ourselves, is prophetic. Instead of a reversion to the original type, we seem to be moving on and upward to a more complete race.

Lincoln was a great man when among us; but he is a greater man now, clothed with the elements of a grateful and imaginative people. Nor does it matter that great liberty is taken with history in this thing, since a human being is unfathomable and unimitable. Some people may seem no larger than a yard stick, and no deeper than a bucket of water; but if you undertake to measure or sound them, you will find out your mistake.

Now this tendency to idealize in some instances might become general without endangering civilization. More nations are destroyed by exploiting their grossness than by exalting their virtues. Again it is a great gain for a nation to have heroes who are large enough to carry the people's highest and purest devotion. As forests are fortunate in some trees that tower above all the rest, so the race needs men and women around whom can gather the glory of a great age.

The Hebrews would be poor indeed without Moses, and David, and Elijah and Isaiah (no matter which one) and other phenomenal personalities. The Greeks would shrink among the nations without Pericles, and Praxiteles and Demosthenes and Socrates, and Plato, the great poets and others hardly less noted. The Romans would not rank among the great nations of the earth without Caesar and Cicero,

and the Marcus Aurelius and a host besides.

As a nation we are too young to count many who have been tested by uncompromising time, and yet a few may fairly be seated among the gods. These we cannot afford to forget, or undervalue. And among them no one would hesitate to put Washington and Lincoln. These men came out of very different social groups, but both of them commend as the elements of highest worth the simple virtues. Great, exceptional powers may be admired, and justly so; but the heroes for all time must transfigure the common virtues. Men may be fascinated by a phenomenal man or woman, one who transcends all ordinary human limitations, just as they are awed by the magnitude of a great mountain, or the irresistibility of a great storm; but the ideal of the people will be found among their own folks. And this after all speaks well for the race. The world can never be saved in groups, in small sections, by elected favorites, by a process of sifting,—but as a whole,—the lowest and highest together. Lincoln taught us this great lesson by the greatness of his simple life. Every boy may not anticipate the White House, but he may anticipate what is far more desirable, the dignity and worth of common endowment.

A nation will forge to the front not by the stars among its people of the first magnitude, but by the whole host that twinkle in the sky. Exceptional men and women may do much to bring in the new day as their opportunity is great, but the whole nation must be lifted or there will not be lasting gain. This is the problem before church and state and the multimillion business world. And as Lincoln was a man of the people, may we not recall him as leading the way for uplifting all the people.

JOHN G. TAYLOR.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

The warm weather the first of this week nearly flooded some Boston streets with melted snow.

Adjustment of difficulties with the freight handlers' unions in Boston was accomplished this week.

The first ship to sail from a German port for this country since 1914, arrived at New York on Monday.

The extreme cold of last week was followed on Monday with a rapid rise in temperature of some sixty degrees.

The State Board of Health reports marked reduction in influenza cases this week as compared with last week.

Camp Devens at Ayer will soon have a large contingent of recruits in training for several army units to be filled to quotas.

This week the military committee of Congress incorporated universal military training in the measure in course of preparation.

The Coolidge headquarters in Washington were closed on Jan. 29, indicating a complete withdrawal from all public striving for the Republican nomination for President.

A drive to secure a solid delegation from New England in favor of Senator Walsh, as Democratic candidate for President, is well launched and gaining favor.

At the close of the drive for \$100,000 the Y. D. contingent found itself \$22,000 short, but those engaged in pushing it are confident the balance needed will be soon secured.

Everything seems to indicate that Germany must receive help along various lines in the near future. The pity of it is that her people have done so little to deserve help since the armistice was signed.

The Pennsylvania system, the model railroad of the world, is not worth taking as a gift today, to operate on existing rates and under labor conditions, existent and threatened. Where are we coming out?

The shrinking in value of the English pound sterling has produced unfortunate conditions in business circles at home and abroad. The government is in conference with big financial concerns in consequence.

Deaths

BUTLER—In Lexington, Jan. 29, Julia Butler, in her 86th year.

CAIN—In Arlington, Jan. 31, Miss Ellen Martha Cain of 3 Hamlet street, aged 44 years, 3 months, 7 days.

FALLON—In Arlington, Jan. 27, Annie L. widow of John B. Fallon, of 13 Lowell street, aged 55 years.

FERRIS—In Arlington, Jan. 30, Alice R., wife of Howard Ferris of 3 Varnum street, aged 28 years.

GARDNER—In Arlington, Feb. 2, Annie Myra, wife of William E. Gardner of Watertown, aged 48 years, 8 months, 14 days.

GROVER—In Arlington, Jan. 31, Harold Sweet, husband of Marguerite J. Grover, of North Berwick, Me., aged 24 years, 1 month, 3 days.

MONTAGUE—In Lexington, Nellie (Gorman), wife of James F. Montague, aged about 59 years.

PAINE—In Arlington, Feb. 3, Mary Gertrude, wife of Joseph S. Paine, of 52 Tufts street, aged 31 years, 5 months, 29 days.

SAWYER—In Arlington, Feb. 2, Walter Dean, husband of Lucie L. Sawyer of 103 Bartlett avenue, aged 53 years, 6 months, 28 days.

SWEENEY—In Cambridge, Jan. 29, M. George, wife of Laurence J. Sweeney of 17 Temple street.

WALSH—In Arlington, Feb. 3, Catherine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walsh of 44 Grove street, aged 4 years, 6 months.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to and by virtue of the mortgage covenants contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Israel P. Rice of Medford, County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Frank C. Friend, of Somerville, dated July 12, 1916, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 4071, Page 1, for breach of conditions in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Monday, March 1, 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, except such parcels as have from time to time been released, and therein described as follows:—The land in Arlington, said Middlesex County, with the buildings thereon, said parcel of land being shown as Lots (1) one to twelve (12) inclusive on a plan of land in Arlington, belonging to Frank C. Friend, June 19, 1916, Dana E. Perkins, C. E., and recorded here, and bounded as follows:—Southerly by Lake Street 90 feet; thence by a curved line as shown on said plan 16.48 feet; Southwesterly by Lakehill Avenue 64.19 feet; Northwesterly by land of Cambridge Ice Company 100 feet; Northeasterly by land of Boston and Maine Railroad Company 391.20 feet; Southeasterly by land of Boston and Maine Railroad Company 20 feet; Easterly by land of Boston and Maine Railroad Company 114.75 feet; Northeasterly by land of Boston and Maine Railroad Company 60 feet; more Northeasterly by land of Boston and Maine Railroad Company 68.35 feet; Easterly by land of Boston and Maine Railroad Company 62 feet. Subject to restrictions of record. Said premises will be sold subject only to the encumbrances, easements and stipulations as the same appear of record. Payment of \$500.00 will be required at time of sale. Terms for the payment of the balance of the money will be made at the time and place of sale.

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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.

—The Ladies Aid met for the monthly business meeting and social Tuesday evening at the Methodist church.

—The Arlington Heights Study club will meet Tuesday, Feb. 10, at the home of Mrs. E. L. Shinn, Florence avenue.

—An article on Wagner's opera "Parsifal," written by Rev. E. R. Leach, appeared in the last number of the Epworth Herald.

—The Methodist Philatheas held their monthly business meeting and social at the home of Miss Bertha Rolfe on Monday evening.

—A successful drive for funds for the new edifice was conducted the week of January 26 by the Methodist church. On Monday evening, Feb. 2, the official board of the church met to make plans for the finishing of the drive.

—An enjoyable social was given by the Delta Alpha girls of the Epworth League to the members of the Epworth League, Calvary Methodist church, on Friday evening, January 30. The time was pleasantly passed in games, after which refreshments were served.

—At the close of the evening service at the Methodist church on Sunday evening, Mr. F. W. Smith, president of the Epworth League, announced his intention of attending the Boston University School of Religious Education for preparation for the ministry.

—On Sunday evening a meeting of the cabinet of the Epworth League of the Methodist church was held, when plans for raising money for the new church were discussed. Miss Helen Reed of Charlton street was elected first vice-president of the Epworth League to take the place of Mrs. S. B. Milley, resigned.

—The Locke School Association met at Locke School Hall, Tuesday evening, with Mr. E. R. Leach, president, presiding. The community singing was led by Mr. C. Frederic Evans, with spirit and enthusiasm. Mr. Evans also rendered solos. Among the pictures shown were, Niagara Falls, Summer Day on the Marne, winter sports on Lake Saranac, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew in a comedy. There was a very good attendance, with consequently a good subscription toward the payment of the machine. Announcement of March meeting will be given later, together with program arranged for.

—The first of a series of entertainments for the members of the Arlington Heights Catholic club was presented in the club house on Acton street, last Friday evening. The program was an entertaining one, with the numbers pleasantly varied. The president, Paul Power, presided, and introduced as speakers of the evening, Dr. J. J. Walsh, Dr. John H. Kane, David Murphy, and George Gibson, of the Catholic Club of Lexington, also Rev. Rudolph M. Tischer, curate of St. James church. Musical numbers were presented by James Ford, James Fitzpatrick and George Mernick. The meeting was open for discussion on the various subjects talked on and closed with a collation.

—Charles S. Eaton, a well known marketman in the Boston market district, died Saturday at his apartment, 144 Worcester street, Boston, after a short illness of bronchial pneumonia. Mr. Eaton was in his 41st year. He was a native of this town and went to school here. He was well known in the Heights section, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eaton, have made their home on Paul Revere road for many years. Early in life Mr. Eaton entered business in the Boston market section and he had hosts of friends there. Besides his parents, he is survived by his wife and two sons. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon and was private. The services were conducted at the home of his parents by Rev. John M. Phillips, pastor of the Park Avenue Congregational church. Burial was in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

BOARD OF TRADE MEETING.

The members of the Arlington Board of Trade were given more information on the inside workings of the financial sections of the town's business than they had ever known before, at their meeting in the Board of Trade building on Court street, Tuesday evening. Charles H. Stevens, in the absence of the president, Roscoe Y. Conklin, who is dangerously ill at his home with pneumonia, presided over the meeting. John A. Bishop, chairman of the School Committee, was present with facts and figures regarding the school situation, which is one of the most acute that the town faces today. Mr. Bishop explained clearly how the large grant of last year was expended, then went into details as to how the larger sum, which is to be asked for this year, was to be spent. He had his subject well in hand and answered many questions relative to the subject. The members were given a better insight into the workings of the School Committee than they have ever been able to get heretofore, the present committee being the first to come before the citizens to state clearly exactly how money granted was expended, in fact, to take citizens into confidential relations with the committee.

The policy of the present committee is publicity, to give citizens a clear understanding of our school system in every way. That new buildings were necessary was shown by Mr. Bishop and he was fully endorsed in statements made by Superintendent George C. Minard.

Edward A. Bailey, tax collector, was present and answered many questions relative to the collecting of the taxes levied. It was expected that more figures would be available, but as some departments have not made up their budget, it is impossible to obtain any further information.

BOY SCOUTS.

At a meeting of the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioners of Cambridge and Arlington, a program was formulated so that every Scout Troop of the district will be visited during the coming month. It is the desire of the officers to inspect these troops with the idea of being of assistance to the Scoutmasters and to instill in the minds of the Scouts the value of a more uniform meeting. Special emphasis will be made upon the Scouts wearing their uniforms at all Troop meetings.

Beginning this past week Deputy Commissioner Forbes of Arlington started to inspect the troops that will be under his direction—Troops 1-3-4-16 of Cambridge.

Deputy Commissioner Hoffman will have charge of inspecting Troops 1 and 6 of Arlington and Troop 3 of Cambridge.

Many entries have been received by Scout Executive Evans for the Anniversary Rally which shall be held at the Hemenway gymnasium in Cambridge, Feb. 13th. The boys are all looking forward to a real live evening of indoor Scouting and it is believed by the leaders that there will be some keen competition.

Tickets for the Rally are ready for distribution for any one desiring same for themselves or friends. These can be obtained by calling at Scout Headquarters, Board of Trade rooms, 698 Mass. avenue, Cambridge. Admission will be by ticket only. A special invitation has been sent to the Girl Scouts of the district to attend the Rally and it is expected that they will be there in large numbers.

During the recent cold spell the Boy Scouts of Troop Two of Cambridge, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Moore went to Arlington. Here the boys distributed food for the birds. After they had completed their work they enjoyed a few hours of snow-shoeing and skiing through the hills of north-west Winchester. They all agreed that they had a most excellent time and if the weather continues to be severe they will make these trips weekly, and combine a good time with their Good Turn.

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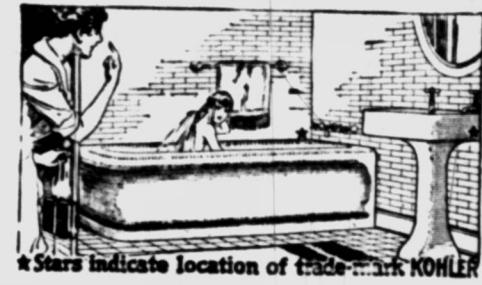
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HANCOCK CHURCH CHORUS
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The opening concert of the Hancock church chorus was given last Friday evening, in the Hancock Congregational church, before an appreciative audience. The chorus did splendid work, under the able direction of Richard Webster Grant, director, who is the new supervisor of music in the Lexington public schools. Mr. Grant is also supervisor of music in the schools of Winchester. The chorus, which appeared in several well rendered selections, was assisted by the members of the church choir.

In opening, J. Frank Donahoe, the church organist, gave a short organ recital. Two soloists, Harrison B. Keller, violinist, and James Richardson, tenor, assisted in the program, each giving two groups. Mr. Richardson, who sings in the Unitarian church at Winchester, has done much concert work about Boston and is well known in musical circles. Mr. Keller is one of the most promising artists among the younger but distinguished group of Boston musicians. Both are veterans of the World War. Dr. W. Frank Ames was to have been the tenor soloist, but he was unable to sing because of illness. Mrs. Irene Osborne Grant, wife of Mr. Grant, and Miss Nathalie E. Kinsman, director of the Hancock church choir, were the accompanists. The entire concert was most pleasing, and the success of this initial appearance of the newly formed chorus is most gratifying.

MRS. NELLIE MONTAGUE.

Mrs. Nellie (Gorman) Montague, wife of James F. Montague, passed away last Monday afternoon, in her home at 88 Woburn street, following an illness of less than a week. Mrs. Montague had been in failing health the past year, but gripped developed last week, and her final sickness lasted only about four days.

Mrs. Montague was born in Ireland about 1861, but came to this country when a child, and had made her home in Lexington most of her life. Mrs. Montague was a quiet, home body, and was much loved by her many relatives and friends.

In Arlington, on June 2, 1884, she became the wife of Mr. Montague. Besides him, she leaves two sons, Joseph Montague of this town, and Frank Montague of Philadelphia, Pa., two brothers, John and James Gorman of Lexington, and a sister, Mrs. Edward J. (Mary) Montague, also of this town.

The funeral took place Wednesday morning, from her late home and a high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Bridget's church by the pastor, the Rev. John F. Kelleher. The pall bearers, all relatives of the deceased, were Thomas, Robert, Charles and Harry Montague. The body was taken to Concord for burial in St. Bernard's cemetery.

MISS JULIA BUTLER.

Miss Julia Butler, for the past 30 years a resident of Lexington, passed away in her home at 46 Lincoln St., January 29. Miss Butler was a sister of the late Miss Alice Butler Cary, who in 1906 presented the town of Lexington with its present beautiful Cary Memorial Library, in memory of her mother, Maria Hastings Cary, who, in 1868, established in Lexington a Free Library. Miss Cary was the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Harris Cary and was the niece of Mr. Cary's business partner, Joseph T. Sanger. Miss Butler was born in Birmingham, Ohio, on Oct. 22, 1834, the daughter of Cyrus and Julia Ann Steele (Sanger) Butler. The first ancestor who came to this country was Richard Butler, who settled in Hartford, Conn. Miss Butler had lived in Lexington since 1889. Her sister, Miss Cary, died on January 14, 1918. Miss Butler was the last of her family, a brother William Allen Butler of this town, having died on January 13, 1912. Miss Butler was known in New York.

The funeral took place last Sunday afternoon, in the home of her niece, Mrs. Edwin Read, at 19 Revere St., with the Rev. John Mills Wilson, minister of the Lexington First Parish Unitarian church, officiating. After cremation at Mount Auburn cemetery, the ashes will be buried in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y.

RED CROSS NOTES.

The weekly meetings of the Red Cross for sewing were concluded last Tuesday. The knitting will continue for the present. The Knitting Committee will be at the Old Town Hall Tuesday afternoons, between two and four o'clock, to give out yarn and to receive knitted articles.

The chairman, in announcing the closing of the work room, pointed out that the spirit of service aroused by the war should be preserved and guided so that it may contribute directly and materially to the improvement of our community life. One of the most obvious ways is to strengthen the institutions in our midst which exist for the benefit of all. Notable among these are the Symmes Hospital and the District Nursing Association. The Woman's Aid, connected with the Hospital, has a membership of only 466 and is now making an appeal for increasing this number. The District Nursing Association, with only 260 members of both sexes, should also have a much larger membership.

The Red Cross is still actively engaged in Home Service work and the improvement of public health.

The Chairman of the Red Cross desires to thank all those who contributed their services in any way, or who gave money for the carrying on of Red Cross work in the Old Town Hall. The success of the work was due to the splendid co-operation of the women of the town and to the financial assistance of the people.

Next Tuesday, Feb. 10, at eleven o'clock in the morning, in the Old

Town Hall, the Arlington Red Cross Branch will sell thread, needles, pins, scissors, tape, safety-pins, blanket safety-pins, knitting needles, three small tables, one card table, two tables for horses and three sewing machine motors.

EAST ARLINGTON.

* M. C. Richmond, brother of the proprietor of Richmond's market and who conducts an optical business at 12 West street, Boston, has bought a home at 63 Mass. avenue, corner of Henderson street.

* Rev. L. A. Walker, pastor of Trinity Baptist church, has been confined to his home by a severe cold. Pres. Nathan R. Wood, of Gordon Training School, conducted the services both morning and evening last Sunday.

* Last Friday evening W. A. Hackett of 35 Harlow street reported to the police that some time during the absence of his family, his home had been broken into. An investigation was made by the police and Mr. Hackett, but nothing was missing.

* The Internos club met Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Cain on Orvis road. The prize winners were Mrs. George D. Bourcy, Mrs. Ralph Rayner, Mrs. W. O. Hauser, Mrs. Charles Draper (consolation). The next meeting of the club will be Feb. 12th.

* The Junior Christian Endeavor of Trinity Baptist church, attended a rally held in the North Cambridge Baptist church. Fifty-nine members made the trip in an auto truck. The Senior Christian Endeavor entertained the inmates of the Baptist Home for Aged People, with singing on Sunday afternoon, in connection with a religious service held.

* The bowling teams of the Community Club of Arlington held quite a lively session on the Arlington Alleys, last Friday evening. Team Six winning all four points from Team Two; Team Five taking three from Team Four; Team One taking three from Team Three. Team Six carried off the high honors, rolling a total of 1617. Dustin of Team Six was the high single string man with 115, while the three string total went to Davidson of the same team with 307. Dustin being a close second with 309.

* Sunday morning at 10.30 the pastor of Calvary Methodist church will preach in G. A. R. Hall. Every person who does not regularly attend church elsewhere is invited to join in this service. In the evening at 7, the pastor will preach on "The Father's Welcome." The building fund campaign is progressing. There will soon appear on the big bulletin board on our church lot an account of this progress. Subscriptions are coming in and we will go over the top before the end of the period assigned for the duration of the campaign.

* A stereopticon lecture was given by Mr. George Learn of Kodiak, Alaska, last Friday evening, in the chapel of Trinity Baptist church under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary society. The attendance was good. Mrs. L. A. Walker, 1st vice-president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Charles W. Corey, president of the society. Mr. Learn is superintendent of the "Baptist Orphanage," at Kodiak and his lecture dealt with his work. Pictures of the home and the children were shown and combined with the lecture made an evening full of interest. Since the influenza epidemic, many children bereft of their parents have been welcomed into the home. Thus a need for more money has been created. The Ever Ready Workers furnished the music during the evening and much favorable comment was heard in regard to the same. Twenty dollars was the amount of the silver offering collected for the Orphanage.

A. B. C. NOTES.

The first half of the Newton League series is over and our team made a fine showing in the big pins. The breaks were against the team all the way through the season, but the men kept to it and made a good showing in the league, although not winning the championship. The last half of this league series will be Boston pins and the opening event was rolled on last Monday night on the home alleys, the A. B. C. rollers making a clean sweep and starting off with a rush, taking the top place in the league standing. May they continue to hold this place.

In the Amateur Boston Pin League series, the team showed some improvement last week, having worked into third place.

Next Wednesday evening the Newton league team rolls the Maugus Club on the A. B. C. alleys.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Florence L. Bacon, late of Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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15 State Street, Boston, Mass.
February 3, 1920 6feb3w

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James Avord Smith to Bertram S. Doane, dated May 1st, 1917, and recorded in the Southern District Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, Book 4139, Page 326, and for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereafter described, on the first day of March, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—Two certain parcels of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Charles Street in said Lexington, being Lots No. 31 and 32, as shown on plan of lots at Liberty Heights, belonging to Jacob W. Wilbur, dated November 19th, 1909, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 182, Plan 41, Bounded together as follows:—Northwesterly by said Charles Street, sixty (60) feet; Northwesterly by lot 33 on said plan, ninety (90) feet; Southwesterly by lot 4 on said plan, sixty (60) feet; and Southwesterly by Cary Street, ninety (90) feet. Containing together 5409 square feet of land. A deposit of \$200. will be required at the time and place of sale.

BERTRAM S. DOANE, Mortgagee.
Howard D. Moore, Atty. for Mortgagee,
43 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass. 6feb3w

A STATE OF MIND.

During the past two or three years we have discovered the value of a state of mind for good or evil as not hitherto. In business men have succeeded or failed because of a state of mind. The benefactor of Technology set his mind to perfect the Kodak and won out in the undertaking. Frequently we hear of men and women who began life at the bottom, but who, through sheer force of mind, forge ahead to the top. Sometimes skill may be somewhat lacking, but the resoluteness of the will makes up for it. The will to do is potent in life.

The same influence of mind on other minds, as in the case of the mass, is well known. A bank has been wrecked simply because the depositors were led to believe it insolvent. A crowd gathered for protest, may be incited to violence by the denunciation of some fiery orator. Wendell Phillips used to say something to make his hearers angry and then whip them around to his way of feeling if not of thinking. And public speakers seek to create a state of mind in their audience. This, indeed, is their purpose if they have any. Great orators, such as Webster, could say to a crowd on Bunker Hill, "Is anything impossible on Bunker Hill," and the whole crowd obeyed him. Let us not overlook this common fact in public speaking. Sometimes the influence of mind upon mind is thought of as a religious achievement, while in fact it is more or less indulged in by all of us.

A striking illustration of the value of a state of mind as a financial asset, was seen in the government loans. The first thing was to prepare the mind of the people for the loan. This was skillfully done by appeals to patriotism and showing the desperate need of the old world. Some people were so wrought upon that they would have thrown their rings into the hat, had it been passed around. So profoundly were the people moved in many instances that they needed restraint, not urging.

The same object is sought in public interests. A political campaign, to no small extent, is a state of mind. Newspapers, platforms of conventions, printed matter by the ton (also the spellbinders), all undertake to create a state of mind in order to win an election. Indeed certain newspapers set out deliberately to do this thing by including what they want of public concern and excluding what might make against them. When newspapers fall upon the people like snow flakes upon the ground, an impression will surely be made.

Doctors often study the mental even more than the physical condition of their patients. Medicine may produce certain effects in some instances in spite of the patient's consent, but the consent of the patient is a very desirable asset. In some instances an unwilling or antagonistic patient has neutralized the medicine. The medical profession have not let this fact in practice become as widely known as they might have done. Unless I examine your heart action, said a physician, you will not be satisfied. A man called a noted physician, who after looking him over, gave him some good advice. But, said the patient, "are you not going to give me some medicine?" Sometimes I have thought that if physicians had let it be known that they dealt with the mind as well as with the body, and often with the body through the mind, many people would not have forsaken the old paths. Just how a physician can best create a state of mind, one cannot always say; but that they often do so is beyond question.

Of course Christian Science is committed to this very thing. If its advocates cannot create a state of mind in its followers, or would be followers, then it is powerless. And in so far as it creates a state of mind, one can all approve of it. To be able by an act of will to believe you are not sick, (providing it is so) and to see the cheerful side of life in any event, is a great achievement. The habit itself is worthy of praise. When I meet the devotees of that faith and note the smile on the faces and hear the hopefulness of their speech, the value of a state of mind becomes obvious. Whether it should be made a religious cult, some of us are in doubt; but we will not throw stones at them.

Even within the boundaries of orthodoxy, no small part of endeavor is to create a state of mind. Ministers may and often do instruct; but even more often they seek to persuade; they undertake to bring the people over to their way of thinking. And when the question of action is desired, the urgency of persuasion is obvious. In revival meetings, there were methods of church growth years ago, the whole management was arranged to create a state of mind, even to physical manipulation. The great evangelists were men of power in this line,—sometimes hypnotic power. They called it by

another name, but there can be no question as to the fact. Under the spell of a flaming devotee to almost any cause, thousands will rally to his standard, not through thought and conviction, but through a state of mind, which is often the product of emotion. And even in the prosaic work of church life from week to week, the question of a state of mind is highly important. Luke-warmness may destroy a church as surely as a frost, while indifference is fatal to any conquest, even in securing money for expenses.

Now if a state of mind plays so large a part in life and in human affairs, who is responsible for it? To some extent all of us,—some in particular. If one has this gift he ought to use it—but use it sanely. Men in public life,—leaders of great organizations (secular or religious), advisers of the people in important or unimportant matters, newspaper men especially, professional men, teachers whose responsibility in this work is very great, and parents in the home, and in fact everyone to a less or greater extent is included among those who do something toward creating a state of mind.

And not least is the person himself. We make our own world to a large extent,—not without struggle,—and yet we make it. Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter. Cultivate a sane, wholesome state of mind. JOHN G. TAYLOR.

MASONIC LADIES NIGHT.

Pretty gowns, well appointed tables, attractive settings about the hall, marked the annual banquet and ladies' night of Hiram Lodge, A. F. & A. M., held in the Town Hall on last Friday evening. The party was the most attractive social ever held by the lodge and was attended by a much larger number than the previous like affairs. The tables were set about in small groups, thus making up little family parties and more home-like. Each table was handsomely decorated. During the serving of the banquet, Poole's orchestra gave many artistic selections and Ralph Brown enlivened things by leading community singing. All the old and new tunes were sung, such as "Annie Rooney," and other old-time popular melodies, many being applauded to such an extent that they were repeated several times. The new songs were sung with a vim also and, all in all, this was one great feature of the evening. Upward of 500 sat down to the banquet, this part of the evening being in charge of William E. Hardy, Frank Walker and Dr. Charles A. Thomas. There were no formalities connected with the banquet, the worshipful master, Calvin Cook, presiding and opening with just a few remarks, it being the intention of those in charge to make the affair as informal as possible.

The banquet over, an entertainment was furnished which the members and their lady friends enjoyed. This section of the evening was under the direction of John Blevins and he deserves great credit for the excellent program he was able to secure. All the talent was professional and of the highest class, the numbers varied and most pleasing in every way. The opening number was by the Artist Trio, made up of Vitali Podolsky violinist, Georgie May Morris, dramatic soprano, and Gertrude Brailey, pianist. These artists presented a pleasing program. The Misses Marjorie and Lola French, Lucy and Barbara Clark, in a "Sugar Plum," and Oriental sketch, made a great hit with the audience, their songs and instrumental numbers being very pleasing. Walter Eccles, the well known humorist, needless to say, made a hit. His stories and impersonations kept the audience in a continuous round of mirth. At the close of the entertainment the hall was cleared and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

PARISH MEETING.

The annual meeting of Arlington Orthodox Congregational Society, adjourned from last month, was held in the vestry and parlor of the church, last Monday evening, about eighty per cent of the members being present. The meeting was presided by an excellent supper, served in the vestry. When it had been disposed of, those present met in the ladies' parlor, clerk R. Walter Hilliard calling to order and reading the warrant. Mr. E. N. Lacey was chosen moderator and at his request Deacon Myron Taylor offered prayer. The records were read and approved, after which Deacon F. B. Thompson presented the society to be in a healthy condition financially, with over \$900 balance in the treasury. Wm. E. Hardy for the standing committee, reviewed the business of the year, telling of the painting of the church and repairs on the building and how funds to meet the cost had been raised. Wm. A. Muller, chairman of the music committee, stated his report was, in the main, included in the statistics given by the treasurer, but that there must be some increase in salaries. After considerable discussion, the suggestions of a special committee instructed to consider finances that the entire expenses of church and society in the future be met by an increase in pew rentals was accepted and adopted. This will eliminate circulation of subscription papers and distribute maintenance cost more equitably. The election of officers resulted in unanimous choice of R. Walter Hilliard as clerk; William E. Hardy, James H. Jones, Charles M. MacMillan, parish committee; Frederick B. Thompson, treasurer; Wilson D. Clark, Jr., collector; Myron Taylor, auditor; William A. Muller, Walter S. Leland, Herbert F. Boynton, music committee. The budget for 1920, as tabulated, foots up to about \$6,000 for church and society expenses.

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COPLEY THEATRE.

"Bunt Pulls the Strings," already announced to have been the attraction at the Copley Theatre was necessarily postponed owing to the pronounced success of G. Bernard Shaw's "Man and Superman," which Henry Jewett's Company has been playing so excellently. This Scotch play of Graham Moffat's was one of the successes at the Copley last season where it enjoyed a prosperous run. In the present revival six of the characters will be played by the same people into whose hands they were entrusted at the previous production, namely Miss Newcombe, Miss Roach, Mr. Clive, Mr. Wingfield, Mr. Matthews and Mr. Leslie, whose return as a member of Mr. Jewett's company has been a source of gratification to the patrons of this house. All the members of the company are peculiarly at home with the Scotch accent and with the many homely scenes of domestic life "Bunt Pulls the Strings," promises to be one of the best pieces of the current season.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. PROBATE COURT.

Middlesex, ss. To Harriet L. R. Pingree, of Arlington, in the County and Commonwealth aforesaid.

You are appointed executrix of the last will and testament of Wallace M. Pingree late of Arlington in said County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, which will was proved and allowed on the thirtieth day of January A. D. 1920, by said Court, and is now of record in this Court.

And you are required to make and return into said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true inventory of all the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge.

To administer, according to law and to the will of said deceased, all the personal estate of said deceased which may come to your possession, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you.

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless you excuse therefrom in any year by said Court.

And, also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in two or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased last dwelt, or cause the same to be published once in each week for three successive weeks in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, and return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, at Cambridge, on the thirtieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty. 6Feb3w F. M. ESTY, Register.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Giuseppe Madonia and Giuseppe Bevilacqua to Canton Trust Company, dated July 28, 1919, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4293, Page 570, for breach of the condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Friday, March 5, 1920, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and described therein as follows:—

"The land in Arlington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, shown as Lot 172 on a plan of 'House Lots, Arlington, Mass.' dated April 16, 1915 by H. S. Adams, C. E., duly recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, and bounded and described as follows:—

Southwesterly by Fordham Street fifty (50) feet.

Northwesterly by Lot 171 on said plan ninety (90) feet.

Northeasterly by Lot 192 on said plan fifty (50) feet.

Southwesterly by Lot 173 on said plan ninety (90) feet.

Containing four thousand five hundred (4500) square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to grantors by deed of Guy A. Ham, Trustee, dated July 28, 1919, and herewith recorded.

Said premises are conveyed with the benefit of and subject to the easements and restrictions mentioned in said deed in so far as the same are now in force and applicable.

Including all furnaces, heaters, ranges, mantels, gas and electric light fixtures, screens, screen doors, awnings and all other fixtures of whatever kind and nature at present contained in said buildings and hereinafter placed therein prior to the full payment and discharge of this mortgage.

Said premises will be sold subject to any tax titles, municipal liens or assessments thereon, if any there be.

Five hundred (\$500) dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of said sale. Other terms will be made known at the sale.

CANTON TRUST COMPANY.

By J. Herbert Landick, Treasurer.

Mortgage named in and present holder of said mortgage. 6Feb3w

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Southwesterly by Fordham Street fifty (50) feet.

Northwesterly by Rawson Road ninety (90) feet.

Northeasterly by Lot No. 192 on said plan fifty (50) feet.

Southwesterly by Lot No. 172 on said plan ninety (90) feet.

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Five hundred (\$500) dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of said sale. Other terms will be made known at the sale.

CANTON TRUST COMPANY.

By J. Herbert Landick, Treasurer.

Mortgage named in and present holder of said mortgage. 6Feb3w

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Giuseppe Madonia and Giuseppe Bevilacqua to Canton Trust Company, dated September 11, 1919, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4293, Page 567, for breach of the condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Friday, March 5, 1920, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and described therein as follows:—

"The land in Arlington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being Lot No. 171 on a plan entitled 'House Lots, Arlington, Mass.' H. S. Adams, C. E., dated April 16, 1915, duly recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, and bounded and described as follows:—

Southwesterly by Fordham Street fifty (50) feet.

Northwesterly by Rawson Road ninety (90) feet.

Northeasterly by Lot No. 192 on said plan fifty (50) feet.

Southwesterly by Lot No. 172 on said plan ninety (90) feet.

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Being the same premises conveyed to grantors by deed of Guy A. Ham, Trustee, dated March 14, 1919, and herewith recorded.

Said premises are conveyed with the benefit of and subject to the easements and restrictions mentioned in said deed in so far as the same are now in force and applicable.

Including all furnaces, heaters, ranges, mantels, gas and electric light fixtures, screens, screen doors, awnings and all other fixtures of whatever kind and nature at present contained in said buildings, and hereinafter placed therein prior to the full payment and discharge of this mortgage.

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ARLINGTON LOCALS.

—Friday and Saturday of last week were the coldest in years, the mercury dropping to 18 below zero here on Friday night and 14 below on Saturday.

—Mrs. Lillian F. Wyman of 121 Lake street, was a guest at the golden wedding anniversary and reception of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Bailey of 102 Highland avenue, Somerville.

—The Sigma Tau Alpha annual, a yearly fraternity publication at Tufts College, issued last Friday, is dedicated to the memory of the late Lieut. Raymond C. Taylor, '16, of Arlington Heights.

—The Forty-five championship series between the A. O. H. and the K. of C. was put over last week, the hall having been let for other purposes. The contest will be resumed this (Friday) evening.

—Mr. Harrison L. Evans of 39 Packard avenue, West Somerville, a former member of the City Planning Board, will soon move into his newly built one-family house, of Dutch colonial style on "Lakeview."

—In one of the hardest fought and liveliest basketball games of the season, the Arlington team went down to defeat to Rose Croix team, Thursday evening, of last week, in the old Town Hall. The game ended 48 to 41 in favor of the visitors.

—The bowling team of the Men's Club of the Arlington Heights Baptist church defeated the team from the Men's Club of the St. Paul Methodist Episcopal church of West Somerville, on Thursday evening of last week, winning three out of four points, the match being rolled on the Regent Alleys, Medford street.

—John Ferguson, a former resident of this town, husband of Mrs. Sarah G. (White) Ferguson, died on Friday of last week at his home in Jamaica Plain. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson lived for several years on Schouler Court and for some years Mr. Ferguson was in business in the Boston market. The funeral took place on Monday morning, at Jamaica Plain.

—Last Friday night the police found an abandoned automobile, containing a number of plumber's tools, on Irving street and towed the machine to a local garage to await an owner. The number plates were on the machine but these numbers were higher than those already listed by the Highway Commission. According to neighbors, the machine had been there since the night before.

—A woman passenger on an outward bound electric car had a narrow escape from serious injury, last Friday evening, when one of the car windows was broken by a snow ball said to have been thrown by a boy about 15 years of age. According to the officials of the Boston Elevated, this has happened on several occasions as the cars proceed along the avenue between the center and the Heights, but this was the first time that flying glass had endangered anyone.

—A well attended dancing party was held in G. A. R. Hall on Thursday evening of the last week, under the auspices of Charles V. Marsh Camp 45, S. of V., and the Auxiliary affiliated with the camp. The committee in charge was B. W. Ham, Oscar Teel, Theodore Longwood, Roscoe C. Young, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Jenkins, Russell Ennis, Mrs. Clara O. Powers, Mrs. Augusta Young, Mrs. Minnie Ennis, Mrs. Etta Whitten, Mrs. Mabel Ham, Mrs. Mabel Paine and Mrs. Elizabeth Turner. Refreshments were served during the evening.

—Arcadia Lodge, Knights of Pythias of West Somerville, held its silver anniversary on Wednesday night of last week, concluding its twenty-fifth year of continuous existence. The retiring chancellor commander, Roy C. Hamilton was presented a past-officer's jewel. Then Past Grand Chancellor Jones, in a review of the year's work, presented Brother Hamilton with a beautifully framed past chancellor's diploma. Past Chancellor Hamilton has the distinction of having received into membership in Arcadia Lodge the largest number of applicants of any one who has ever held the office; also the largest number in any one team either by transfer or reinstatement. The amount of cash receipts was the largest and at the same time the amount of unpaid dues of the members has not been so small in years.

—The High school ice hockey team gave the fast Somerville High team a whitewash on Friday afternoon on the Tufts Oval. The ice was bad, being very rough in sections and the game lost many of its finer points, resembling the old fashioned game of shinny to a great extent. The two teams fought hard, but our boys had the best of the argument and succeeded in caging three goals, the Arlington defense proving too much for Somerville and breaking up the plays and stopping the opponents from scoring. The contest was one of the postponed Interscholastic League series. All the scoring was done in the first half, Arlington going at its job with a vim and making its killing early. The score:—

ARLINGTON H. S. SOMERVILLE H. S.
Tobin rw 1w L. Simpson
Haley rw 1w Powell
Lynch c 1w Powell
Bower c 1w Higgins
Hardy lw 1w Higgins
Crosby c 1w R. Simpson
Sheehan p 1w G. McPhail
Murphy p 1w G. McPhail
Score, Arlington High 3. Goals made by Hardy 2. Tobin, Referee, Battick. Goal umpires, Butler and Tansey. Timer, McCarthy. Time, 20 minute halves.

—Mrs. M. Georgia (Clifford) Sweeney, wife of Lawrence J. Sweeney of the Boston Globe staff, died at the Copp Hospital, last Friday morning, following a serious operation. Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney were married nine years ago and during the early part of their married life they resided in Dorchester. Four years ago the couple came to live in Arlington, Mr. Sweeney having erected a house at 17 Temple street. Mrs. Sweeney was a woman of very

sunny disposition, with a smile and good word for all, and enjoyed a very wide circle of friends. The funeral took place on Sunday, the services being conducted in St. Agnes church, by Rev. John B. Mullin, and attended by a very large number, a considerable delegation of friends from the Boston Globe being present. The floral tributes were many and very beautiful. Interment was in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

—Charles Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hutchinson, was host at a toboggan party given on Thursday. After the sport refreshments were served at the home.

—The meeting of the Woman's Missionary and Social Union of the First Baptist church will be held in the ladies parlor, Monday afternoon, February 8, at two forty-five. The subject will be, "Medical Missions in Korea, Siam and the Philippines." Music and tea will follow. All ladies are cordially invited to be present.

—The Tercentenary anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims, which occurs in Dec. next, will be celebrated by the Unitarians in Sept. To anticipate and prepare for that observance, the Rev. Frederic Gill will give a series of six sermons on "The Puritans and The Pilgrims," in the local church during February and March, beginning next Sunday morning with the topic, "Who The Puritans and The Pilgrims Were."

—At the last moment Mr. H. A. Phinney was obliged to give up his sailing on the Carmania, owing to the illness of his sailing companion, Mr. Cross. Mr. Cross was taken ill last Wednesday with what was feared to be the influenza. Fortunately it proved only a severe cold, so that when Mr. and Mrs. Phinney left New York on Sunday he was resting comfortably. They have secured passage on the earliest date possible, which is not until the latter part of Feb.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion met in the chapel of the First Baptist church, Monday afternoon at four o'clock, with Mrs. Ralph J. Hunt, leader. The lesson was from Hawthorne's story, "The Great Stone Face." Persis Dolloff outlined the lives of a few great men whose birthdays take place in February, notably Abraham Lincoln and George Washington. Miss Louise Brown gave great pleasure with violin selections. About twenty-five children were present.

—A miscellaneous shower was tendered Miss Maud Tambo at the home of Mrs. A. J. Buchanan on Trowbridge street, Thursday evening of last week, by a number of friends. The party was a merry one and made up of friends from Arlington, New Jersey, Somerville, Watertown and Newton. Miss Tambo received many gifts of cut glass, linen, and other articles useful to young people starting in housekeeping. During the evening there was music by Miss Marie Clark and Mr. Lovjoy; mandolin numbers by Mrs. Peterson; piano selections by Miss Tambo. The evening closed with refreshments.

—The Bradshaw Missionary Association held its meeting in the vestry of Orthodox Congregational church, Monday afternoon, at three o'clock. The devotional exercises were conducted by the president, Miss Josephine W. Whitaker, followed by the secretary's report read by Miss Mabel Davis. Notice was given of an all day sewing meeting to be held today (Friday) in the vestry, Mrs. Edward Bacon, in behalf of the Association, presented Mrs. S. C. Bushnell with a basket of beautiful flowers as a slight token of the esteem and love in which the members have held her during the thirty years they had known her. Mrs. D. M. Babcock gave a report of a special meeting of the Suffolk Branch, held in the New Old South church. Miss Whitaker then introduced Miss Harriet C. Norton, the speaker of the afternoon. Miss Norton is a missionary recently returned from Turkey and the talk on her work among the orphans was most interesting. She told of the many difficulties and restrictions suffered during the war and the privations which had been endured. Some of the little garments worn by the children during the war were exhibited, so patched and worn that the original cloth from which they had been made could not be distinguished. The members were disappointed in that Miss Davis was unable to fulfill her part in the program because of a severe cold. The meeting then adjourned to the social hour, and closed with the Mizpah benediction.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph Matthews and Alice J. Matthews to Leo H. Dinnar dated October 15, 1919, and recorded in Middlesex So. District Registry of Deeds, Book 4305, Page 489, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Saturday, the 28th day of February, 1920, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—The land in said Arlington being lot numbered 33 on a plan made by J. O. Goodwin, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 30, plan 3, and bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point on the east side of Massachusetts Avenue (formerly Arlington Avenue) distant in a southeasterly direction from Teal Street 50.29 feet; thence running Northeasterly by lot numbered 34 on said plan 105.57 feet to lot numbered 15 on said plan; thence turning and running southeasterly by lot numbered 15, 52.50 ft. to lot 30 on said plan; thence turning and running Southeasterly on said lot 30 and lot 32 on said plan 114.10 feet to Massachusetts Avenue; thence turning and running Northwesterly on said Massachusetts Avenue 58.28 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 5942 square feet more or less. Said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage. Also subject to all unpaid taxes and other municipal liens, if any. \$500 will be requested to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale.

LEO H. DINNAR, Mortgagee.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ella M. Burt, late of Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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15 Mass. Ave. and West St.
153 Mass. Ave. near Everett St.
16 Mass. Ave. and Tufts St.
162 Mass. Ave. bet. Palmer & Wyman Streets.
17 Lake St. opp. D. Wyman's house.
21 North Union St. opp. Fremont.
212 Broadway cor. Gardner St.
214 Marathon St. and Valley road.
22 Old Town Hall (Police Station.)
23 Junction Broadway & Warren St.
232 Everett and Raleigh Sts.
24 Beacon Street, near Warren.
25 Central Fire Station, Broadway.
26 Medford St. and Lewis Avenue.
27 Mystic and Summer Sts.
28 Mystic St. near Fairview Ave.
29 Mystic and Old Mystic Sts.
31 Kensington Park.
32 Pleasant St. near Lake St.
34 Pleasant St. opp. Gray St.
35 Pleasant St. bet. Addison and Wellington Sts.
36 Old Town Hall.
37 Russell St. cor. Russell Terrace.
38 Academy St. near Maple.
39 Mass. Ave. cor. Mill Street.
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64 Fire Station, Park Ave. (Heights)
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4-4 followed by box number, calling Medford, (special signal.) second alarm.
4-4 Fire in Medford.
Five blows, followed by box number calling Somerville, (special signal.)
5-5-5 Fire in Somerville.
6-6-6 Fire in Lexington.
7-7-7 Military Call.
8-8-8 Boy Scout call.
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21 Mass. Ave. at Baptist church.
213 Mass. Ave. and Winthrop Road.
214 Winton Road & Highland Ave.
214 High School.
215 Bloomfield and Eustis Sts.
216 Bloomfield St. and Highland Ave.
217 Mount School.
218 Percy Road and Warren St.
219 Mass. Ave. and Percy Road.
221 Mass. Ave. and Pelham Road.
231 Pelham and Elliott Roads.
232 Warren St. and Elliott Road.
234 Middle St. at H. W. B. Cotton's.
235 Mass. Ave. and Middle Street.
236 Maple Street at H. H. Tyler's.
236 Mass. and Locust Avenues.
25 Mass. and Independence Avenues.
251 Mass. Ave. and Curve Street.
252 Adams School.
26 Mass. Ave. and Pleasant St.
27 Pleasant St. at C. M. Lawrence's.
271 Watertown St. at Geo. W. Norton's.
272 Pleasant St. and Concord Ave.
273 Mass. Ave. and Oak St.
28 Mass. Ave. opp. East Lexington R. R. Station.
281 Oak St. at C. E. McPhae's.
282 Mass. Ave. at J. P. O'Riordan's.
283 Mass. Ave. and Charles St.
284 Wilson and Arcadia Aves.
29 Mass. Ave. and Sylvia St.
31 Bedford St. at John Hinchey's.
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37 Bedford St. at Warren A. Davis'.
38 Bedford St. at Lexington Park.
4 Mass. Ave. and Elm Ave.
41 Clark and Forest Sts.
412 Hancock School.
413 Parker St. and Jackson Court.
42 Mass. Ave. and Parker St.
43 Mass. Ave. and Cedar St.
431 Town Farm.
432 Mass. Ave. and School St.
45 Lincoln St. and Audubon Road.
46 Lincoln and School Sts.
461 Lincoln and Middle Sts. (Harding's Corner.)
462 Cary Farm.
5 Hancock St. near Edgewood Road.
51 Hancock and Adams Sts.
512 Adams and Merriam Sts.
52 Adams and North Sts.
53 Lowell and East Sts.
54 Hancock and Burlington Sts.
56 Grove and Burlington Sts.
561 Grove St. at Franklin D. Simond's.
562 Burlington St. near J. G. Graham's.
6 Mass. Ave. and Waltham St.
61 Waltham St. opp. C. H. Wiswell's.
62 Waltham and Middle Sts.
621 Middle and Spring Sts.
623 Concord Ave. and Spring St.
624 Middle St. at Valley Field Farm.
625 Waltham and Concord Ave.
63 Waltham St. and Concord Ave.
7 Mass. Ave. opp. Merriam St.
71 Merriam and Oakland Sts.
72 Oakland St. opp. E. Locke's.
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is as comfortable as could be expected. The little one, who is in the home at Myrtle street Boston with his mother, has not contracted the disease nor does the doctor in charge anticipate that he will.

—Announcement comes to us this morning of the death of Mrs. Howard Heustis (Bello Lancaster), which occurred last night at the family home on Hill's road, Belmont. Funeral will be in the chapel of the First Baptist church on Sunday. Mrs. Heustis has been in failing health for a considerable time.

—The funeral of Miss Helen M. Cain took place on Sunday afternoon from the home of her sister, Mrs. George Morgan, 3 Hamlet street. Services were held in St. Agnes church, and conducted by Rev. Dr. Edward F. Ryan. Interment was in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Wall, widow of Thomas F. Wall, a former resident of this town, took place on Wednesday morning from the undertaking rooms of D. W. Grannan & Son, 376 Mass. avenue. A high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Agnes church by Rev. John B. Mullin. Interment was in Malden.

—An oil stove caught fire in the home of Mr. White, 19 Wollaston avenue, on Saturday afternoon, causing quite a bit of excitement and considerable smoke. An alarm was sent in from Box 63, but in the mean time some one threw the stove out of the window into the snow and thus removed all danger.

—Miss Lena W. Lenk and Miss Alice Grayce Lenk were to have left Arlington last Tuesday for Miami, Fla., for a vacation of a month, but unfortunately both were taken sick on Friday last, with the influenza, which has resulted in their prostration. As we go to press they are resting comfortably. Their southern trip however is indefinitely postponed.

—The regular meeting of the Woman's club was of necessity omitted on Thursday, because of the violent snowstorm, which rendered it impossible for not only the chairman of the legislative committee, Mrs. Chas. Hay who had the meeting in charge, but the speakers, to reach Arlington. The meeting cannot be postponed because of previous bookings, which fill the calendar for the entire year, so those who were interested in this meeting, and there were many, express keen disappointment.

—Thursday we were visited by one of the most severe storms of the winter. Drifting snow piled up and made travel next to impossible. The Boston Elevated Railway made a desperate effort to keep the lines open and the cars running. In this they succeeded very well and although the cars were not running on schedule time, the service was maintained in a way. The line to Winchester was out of commission all day and night, the great drifts making it impossible to continue service. The "No school" signal sounded both in the morning and afternoon.

—For the first time since its organization, the Men's Club of the Arlington Heights Baptist church went down to defeat on Wednesday night, in a match rolled on the Arlington Alleys, against the Schwamb Piano factory team. The Schwamb team won three out of four. The Men's Club team winning the third string by one pin. Toomey of the Schwamb team won the high string total with 112, and he tied with Craft of the losing team for the three string total of 282. The team totals were 1347 for Schwamb and 1248 for the Men's club.

—Mrs. Mary G. Paine, wife of Joseph S. Paine died at the Symmes Arlington Hospital on Tuesday of pneumonia, following an illness of a very few days. Mrs. Paine was one of the most prominent workers in the local auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans and at the time of her death was one of the color guards. In all the workings of the local auxiliary she took very active interest and served on every committee. In the state department of the auxiliary she was also interested and served as "divisional aid." The funeral services take place this (Friday) afternoon, from the late home at 52 Tufts street, under the direction of the Sons of Veterans, who will use the auxiliary service of the organization.

—Winchester High school basketball team came to Arlington on Monday evening, filled with the confidence that they could win from our High school team. The game was one in the League series and Winchester felt sure that the game was theirs, in fact made that boast. Before the contest ended they were of the opinion, or at least they should have been, that Arlington had a far superior team. Arlington played an excellent game and won out by a score of 19 to 11. It drew a large gallery and rooters for both teams made the school ring as they tried to encourage their team mates. Capt. Coolidge was the star for Arlington, caging five baskets from the floor, while Burtt caged nine from fouls. This game is the one big game of the season for Arlington, as Winchester has always been a keen rival in athletics for years past and a win over Winchester means much to our boys. The score;—

ARLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Burtt rf	0	9	9
Smith lf	0	0	0
Coolidge c	5	0	10
Hargrove rb	0	0	0
Viano lb	0	0	0
Totals	5	9	19
WINCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Eldridge lb	0	0	0
Valely rb	0	0	0
French c	0	3	3
P. Hart lf	1	0	2
R. Hart rf	1	4	6
Totals	2	7	11

—Miss Crook gave another of her interesting talks, Monday afternoon, on dramatic appreciation, at 128 Pleasant street. The playwrights Clyde Fitch, Augustus Thomas, William Vaughn Moody, Langdon Mit-

chell, were four of American dramatists discussed. The play, "The Truth," by Fitch, was considered; also Thomas's "Witching Hour," and "As a Man Thinks;" "The Great Divide," and "The Faith Healer," by Moody; "The New York Idea," by Mitchell. The points that make these good plays were shown and in comparison were given the names of dramatists and their plays that have been popular and great money earners, but in the lecturer's mind were not such as will live as they lack the technique that constitutes the standard of a good play.

—Tickets are now on sale for A. B. C. dance Friday evening, Feb. 27, 1920. Karl Ricker's ten piece orchestra. Sure you are coming! You remember the good time you had at the last one. So procure your tickets early! They are limited! Dance tickets \$1.50, balcony 75 cents including refreshments and war tax.

—As a special act for patriotic work of the Department of Mass, the Relief Corps auxiliary to the G. A. R. are to observe Lincoln's birthday by appropriate exercises to be held in Faneuil Hall, Boston, Thursday evening, Feb. 12th, at eight o'clock. The allied orders and the public are most cordially invited to be present.

—A well attended meeting of the Associated Charities was held on Friday morning, Jan. 30th, at the home of Mrs. Roscoe R. Perry on Bartlett avenue. It was the annual business meeting of the year and reports were given by the secretary and treasurer; also one from the president which gave an idea of the great scope and variety of the work. The treasurer announced that \$671.76 had been collected by the sale of Christmas seals and that \$435.31 was the net amount for Arlington, after giving the stipulated proportion to the state. It was learned with deepest regret that Mrs. Charles A. Thomas felt she must retire from the presidency. Mrs. Perry was unanimously elected to that office. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Thomas for her untiring devotion to the work. The secretary, Miss Carrish resigned, as she is in Groton for the winter. Mrs. Howard Bradford succeeds her.

—The Unitarian Sunday school had a social and spelling match Wednesday evening, in the vestry of the church, which was well attended and proved most enjoyable. The committee in charge was the Misses Russell, Smith, Munch; Theodore and Edward Schwamb. Mr. Frank Y. Wellington and Mr. Frank W. Hodgdon were chosen captains of the two teams. Mr. Mark S. Dickey proved that he not only has ability as an organizer, but as a speller, for he was the winner of the first prize. Miss Anna Burnett captured the second, while Mr. Frank W. Hodgdon, with malice of forethought to provoke mirth won the "booby" prize. At the close of the spelling match to further carry out the idea of an old fashioned party, a Virginia reel, under the direction of Miss Alice Homer created no end of fun. The music for this was furnished by Miss Whyal at the piano and Jerome Kehler, drummer. Miss Eleanor Homer had charge of the refreshments which were enjoyed at the close of the evening.

—Arlington High basketball team scored a 22-to-12 victory over Wellesley High team on Wednesday evening, the game being played at Wellesley. Between the halves the teams of both schools played, Arlington winning this game also, by a score of 13 to 7. The principal game of the evening was one in the Suburban Interscholastic League series and this win meant much for Arlington. Roger Burtt played a star game for Arlington, scoring fourteen of the twenty-two points. Viano and Coolidge also showed up well for Arlington and aided materially in the winning of the game. The score;—

ARLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Burtt rf	4	6	14
Smith lf	0	0	0
Coolidge c	2	0	0
Hargrove rb	0	0	0
Phalen lb	0	0	0
Viano lb	2	0	1
Totals	8	6	22
WELLESLEY HIGH SCHOOL			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Kenney lb	1	0	2
Stover rb	0	0	0
Grover c	0	0	0
Brennan lf	2	2	6
Ogilvie rf	2	0	4
Sanford rf	0	0	0
Totals	5	2	12

—Our prognostication that there is much interest in the lectures on "Preparation for Citizenship," among the women of the town, was proven a fact on Thursday, the 29th of Jan., when many gathered at three o'clock at the Junior High school, to hear what Mrs. True Worthy White had to offer upon this timely subject. Those who have not heretofore been interested in subjects dealing with citizenship, were noted in the audience and many of this number, availed themselves of the invitation to ask questions, at the close of the lecture. The questions were pertinent and answered in Mrs. White's direct, forceful and we might add, convincing manner. Mrs. White strongly advocated, not only reading, but memorizing the preamble to our federal constitution, and showed her satisfaction when one in her audience demonstrated that she had already mastered it. She said that it is a source of pride, that our own state of Mass., was the first to adopt a constitution which other states had used as a model. The speaker presented much of the work now before our legislative bodies, only touching briefly upon the League of Nations, as perhaps she has already recently covered that topic when conducting the Current Event Class. As we have said, the lecture, together with the questions which it provoked, made an interesting and illuminative meeting, which should continue the interest in the next meeting, which Mrs. Geo. C. Minard and her committee have arranged. This is called for Thursday afternoon Feb. 12, at the Junior High school, when Mrs. Claude Gilson will be the speaker. Her topic will be the "Preparation for Voting." It will include the study of the two parties, the time for registration, the

primaries, and the marking of the ballot. Remember the date then, Feb. 12th, Lincoln's birthday. How better may the women of Arlington celebrate this event, than by attending a meeting planned to arouse interest in the government which this martyred president so dearly loved.

ARTHUR H. CARVER RESIGNS AS SUPT. OF SCHOOLS.

Arthur H. Carver, for seven years superintendent of the Lexington public schools and up to last fall principal of the High school, on Jan. 29 tendered his resignation to the School Committee, to take effect about March 15. Mr. Carver has resigned to accept a splendid position as head of training and educational department, operated in connection with the employees' relations department of Swift & Company, meat packers. In this capacity, he will be the first assistant to John Calder of Lexington, who is head of all the company's employees' relations departments throughout the country. Mr. Carver will have charge of all the educational work of the packing company, and although he expects to be located in Chicago, Mr. Carver will probably do much travelling. The general idea of this educational work by the packing people is the belief that by bringing the employer and employee into closer relations through educating the latter to broader views, that the unrest of labor and labor troubles can be settled.

Mr. Carver was born in the little village of Snowshoe, near Williamsport, Penn., 37 years ago. He prepared for teaching at Dickinson college, Carlisle, Penn., receiving his A. B. degree. He took a post-graduate course there in psychology, in which he has specialized, receiving the degree of A. M. He has since taken summer courses at Cornell University and Boston University, and he took a winter course in vocational guidance work and study of industrial problems under Meyer Bloomfield in Boston. Mr. Carver has been much interested for the past three or four years in the study of intelligence tests, making it possible to tell what type of work or vocation a person is fit for, through this phase of psychology.

Seventeen years have been given by Mr. Carver in school teaching. He first taught for eight years in schools in Maine, at different times being at Bucksport, Kennebunkport and Bar Harbor. From there, he came to Lee, Mass., where for three years he was principal of the High school.

He was appointed superintendent of schools and principal of the High school in Lexington, on Feb. 1, 1913, and Mr. Carver had held both positions up to last June when, because of pressure of business in his capacity as superintendent, he gave up the latter position. Bion C. Merry was made principal of the High school.

The splendid way in which the school system has been built up from its very low level at the time Mr. Carver took up the superintendency to the present high ranking among the schools of the state, is one of the best compliments that could be paid the value of Mr. Carver to the town, in its educational institutions. There is now no school system in the Commonwealth better organized and having a more efficient teaching force than this town. The pupils entering the High school are all excellently prepared and a wonderful record noted is that of the pupils who enter the first grade, the average who enter the freshman class in the High school is 70 per cent, while in many schools this average is less than 20 per cent.

Mr. Carver's reputation is larger than local, as he has spoken before many of the large educational organizations throughout New England and other parts of the country. Mr. Carver, since coming to Lexington, has built up a course in practical civics, that is in itself unique and one that is attracting attention from all parts of the country. Several years ago, he started the plan of working in the grades among the boys and girls the national, state and town government, giving pupils a splendid chance to become acquainted with all the forms of government. This teaches the pupils "Americanization."

Mr. Carver is a member of the National Educational Association, the Massachusetts Superintendents' Association, State Teachers' Association, Middlesex County Teachers' Association, and other educational organizations. He is a Free Mason, belonging to the lodge in Kennebunkport, Me. He is a member of the Hancock Congregational church, is president of the Hancock Church Men's Club, and belongs to the Lexington Old Belfry Club. Mr. Carver is married, and has a daughter, Lois.

O. B. C. ACTIVITIES.

The report of the annual dramatics on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings will be found in another column.

Because of the dramatics, the bowling matches scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings were postponed.

An open night is scheduled at the club for this Friday evening.

According to the club year book, an entertainment will be held at the club on Feb. 18.

Special bowling events are planned for Feb. 20th.

The annual Washington's birthday dance will come on Monday Feb. 23.

The dance for the older children of the members, between 12 and 17 years of age, in the club hall, last Saturday afternoon, was a very enjoyable affair, with a large attendance. Mrs. Bowers presided at the piano.

A special inter club evening will be held in the club house next Thursday evening, Feb. 12, at 8.00 o'clock by the Old Belfry Club, and the Calumet Club of Winchester. There will be special events in bowling, bridge, billiard, and pool; there will also be dancing. Refreshments will be served. The return evening takes place at Winchester April 2nd.

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OLD BELFRY CLUB DRAMATICS.

The dramatic committee of the club, made up of Miss Marjorie Seeley Mrs. Lyon Carter and Mr. Edward W. Taylor, presented the annual club dramatics on Tuesday and Wednesday nights; that of Tuesday being called the dress rehearsal, while Wednesday staged the finished production.

The play presented was called "It Pays to Advertise" given in three acts and although a difficult one to produce, reflected great credit not only upon the coach Mr. Frank E. Fowle, but the entire cast, which was chosen with deserving fitness. Miss Seeley impersonated the young business woman endowed with much charm of manner. Mrs. Proctor's interpretation of the French adventuress was realistic and delightful, her accent and manners being true to the role. Mr. Taylor appeared first as the indolent society man, who becomes an earnest ambitious man.

Mr. Breed was very convincing as the irate goat stricken father and last, but by no means least, should be mentioned Mr. Walsh's impersonation of the forceful, mirth provoking advertising agent, who convinced everyone that "It pays to advertise." It was an all star cast which is truly remarkable when we remember that many in the play are busy business men, and as we have said, the roles all difficult.

The cast in order of their appearance:—

Mary Grayson Miss Marjorie Seeley
Johnston, (the butler) Hollis Webster
Gustave De Beaurieux Mrs. J. A. Proctor
Ridney Martin Edwin W. Taylor
Cyrus Martin Ezra Breed
Ambrose Peale James J. Walsh
Marie Mrs. Alexander Hammer
William Smith Robert S. Surtevant
Miss Burke Miss Louise A. Wright
George McChesney Ashton G. Little
Ellery Clark Stuart Sherburne

Four sandwich men were, Dr. Grav Messrs. Andrews, Kelley and Hill. The part of property man which is no mean one, was filled by Mr. Alexander Hammer.

Mrs. William Stickel was prompter. Miss Mary Valentine and Muriel Childs played piano duets between the acts, acceptably filling the role of orchestra. After the performance on Wednesday night dancing was enjoyed.

GIRL SCOUTS CAMPAIGN.

The committee in charge of the Girl Scout campaign wishes to thank the people of Lexington for their generous aid and support during the week just ended.

We sincerely hope you have become better acquainted with the scope of the work and that every dollar pledged represents the giver's sympathy with this important movement (especially important in these days of extravagance and loose thinking) of our girls into clean, resourceful women, sane of mind and healthy of body.

Over \$600 has been received by the treasurer, and once again, as has been the case in every cause that has rung true, Lexington has been one of the first towns in the state to go over the top.

Your help has put the Girl Scout Movement in Lexington on a sure footing. A council is being formed to administer its affairs wisely and judiciously, and you will be kept informed as to its activities and accomplishments.

An act much appreciated by the members of the Girl Scouts in their recent campaign was the gift of five dollars generously donated by the members of Troop Two, Lexington Boy Scouts.

LEXINGTON LOCALS.

...The annual sunlight party of Woman's Relief Corps, No. 97, will be held in the Town Hall, Monday afternoon, Feb. 23, from 2 to 6 o'clock, the day Washington's birthday is to be celebrated this year.

...Rev. F. R. Gale has invited the East Lexington Troop of Boy Scouts and officers to attend service in a body at Follen church next Sunday morning as it will be Scout Sunday. The subject of his address will be "The Field of Honor."

...At the morning service in the First Baptist church, Sunday, at 10.30 o'clock, the pastor, the Rev. Geo. Loring Thurlow, will preach on "The Chisel vs. the Hammer." Mr. Thurlow will take for his subject at the evening service, at 7 o'clock, "The Man Who Was Not."

...An automobile truck, owned by the National Lead Company of 131 State street, Boston, and operated by Joseph B. Boyer of 9 Meadow street, Salem, ran into a hydrant, on Mass. avenue, in East Lexington, last Saturday afternoon, breaking the hydrant. This caused a bad flooding of the street.

...We are informed that a petition is in circulation which opposes the moving of the East Lexington station from its present location; combining it with Pierce's Bridge station, either Curve street or near the Village Hall. The people in this district do not wish the station removed, when rebuilt.

...The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Association of the Soldiers' Home in Mass., of which Mrs. Ella R. Jones is the recording secretary, was held Thursday afternoon, in Sewall Hall, Boston. The last report gave the number of veterans in the home as 485; in hospital, 293, and deaths during the month, 14.

...The regular services will be held at the Hancock Congregational church on Sunday, with preaching by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Collier, at 10.30 o'clock, Sunday school, immediately following at 12 o'clock. The Y. P. S. C. E. holds its meetings at six o'clock and the regular mid-week prayer meeting occurs on Wednesday, at eight o'clock. An adjourned meeting to consider the incorporation of the church, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

...A New Thought Service was held last Sunday afternoon in the G. A. R. Hall, Lexington. Mrs. Harriet F. Harrington president of the Metaphysical Club Boston, gave the address. Mrs. E. R. Frost also spoke. Mr. A. Griswold Long played a violin solo and at the close of the meeting read a paper on "Spiritualism." All interested in the New Thought are cordially invited to attend these meetings. There is a "Nature Talk" for children at 3 p. m. Next Sunday Mrs. Claiborne Catlin will be the speaker.

...The Lexington Outlook Club held its meeting Tuesday afternoon, in the Old Belfry Club hall, with the president, Mrs. Edward H. Nowers, in the chair. The secretary's report was read and accepted. The by-laws were read with changes to be acted upon at the next meeting, also the names of the nominating committee for the coming year. Mrs. Arthur C. Whitney was appointed delegate to the mid-winter conference of the Federation to be held in Revere, Feb. 11. Mrs. Nowers then introduced Miss Marguerite Clement of France, who gave a most charming, interesting and instructive talk on French women and public opinion. At the close,

the members joined in singing the Marseillaise.

...The Rev. George Loring Thurlow, pastor of the First Baptist church, went to Marlboro last Sunday evening, to speak at a young people's rally in the First Congregational church of that city.

...Lizzie Delfino, an 8-year-old school girl, living in North Lexington, caused much worry, last Friday and Saturday, when she was missed from home over night, during the below zero weather. She did not reach home after school, Friday afternoon, and Saturday morning. Patrolman W. Franklin Fletcher of the local police force hunted throughout the Lexington Heights district, finally locating the child about noon, in the home of a neighbor. The child was happy, and the only reason for not sending her home that could be learned was the fact that it was too cold.

...Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Day announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Phyllis Carolyn, to John Harrison Shaw of Cambridge. Miss Day graduated from Lexington High school last June. While in school she was a star player of the field hockey team. Miss Day was treasurer of the Spanish Club or better known as "El Club Espanol." Miss Day was one of the four young ladies chosen during her senior year to assist the principal in his office. Mr. Shaw graduated from Rindge Technology in June and is now employed by a large textile firm in Boston. Owing to the fact that both are so young no immediate date has been set for the wedding.

...Mr. A. C. Foster, organist at First Parish (Unitarian) church, gave an organ recital one half hour in length, at the church last Sunday afternoon at three forty-five o'clock. The more familiar numbers were Meditation from "Thais," Massenet; selections from "Il Travatore," Verdi; and "Song of India." As many as sixty persons availed themselves of the privilege of listening to the selections splendidly executed. Perhaps no better comment can be made than the remarks overheard at the close, "We sincerely hope this recital may be repeated." A social meeting in the church parlor followed, when new people were heartily welcomed into the church life. Tea and crackers were served by members of the hospitality committee.

...The Lexington firemen were called three times last Sunday, for fires. The first two alarms within an hour and a half of each other in the morning were still alarms. The first one came in shortly after 8.30 and was for a chimney fire at the residence of Alex Ohlson, 15 Reed street, North Lexington. The firemen were forced to drive more than a mile in the zero air to reach the fire. A little after 10, another still alarm was sounded for a slight fire in the restaurant on Grain Mill lane, caused by the back-firing of alcohol. But for the presence of mind of Miss Flora Holmes, who is employed there, a bad fire might have resulted. Box 212 at the corner of Mass. avenue and Winthrop road was sounded about 9.30 Sunday evening. Some one passing in a street car had seen blazing papers coming from a window in the residence of J. W. Webster at 331 Mass. avenue and pulled in the alarm. According to the firemen, a hot flat iron had been wrapped in papers, to take to bed, and the papers catching fire, they had been hastily thrown out into the snow. There was no damage.